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ULTIMATUM SENT OVER TO GERMANY

PRESIDENT WILSON PERSONALLY
REPORTS HIS ACTION TO
CONGRESS.

Reviews History of Experience With
the German Government and Recites
Examples of Bad Faith in Subma-
rine Warfare Extending Over a Year
or More.

The most important event of the
week was the action of President Wil-
son in calling a joint session of Con-
gress on Wednesday to hear his report
on relations with Germany, which has
reached a very critical stage. He has
notified Germany that she must im-
mediately change her submarine war-
fare to comply with international law
and with her numerous agreements, or
diplomatic relations will be broken off.
This would amount to a state of war
between the United States and Ger-
many.

President Wilson has done everything
possible to preserve peace, but Ger-
many has continued to sink, without
warning, neutral vessels and ships
carrying American passengers and
freight. This has been going on for
considerably more than a year, the first
important case being that of the Lusitania,
when more than 100 citizens of the
United States lost their lives. In
each case President Wilson has vigor-
ously protested against this violation
of the laws of all nations, which have
always agreed that there must be free-
dom of the high seas for neutrals at
all times. Germany has agreed each
time to respect this law, but her subma-
rines go right along murdering our
citizens and women and children. She
lays the blame on the commanders of
the vessels, which for a time was ac-
cepted as true. But it is not possible
that commanders of German subma-
rines would continue to disobey orders
made in good faith. To do so would be
certain death and dishonor in a coun-
try where militarism and iron disci-
pline obtain in every detail of the coun-
try's existence. Germany has dallied
and dodged until it is no longer pos-
sible to submit to her methods.

Germany has never been discrimi-
nated against by the United States. She
happens to be unable to send her ves-
sels to the United States to buy sup-
plies, like her enemies are doing. That
is not our business as individuals and
our doing business as individuals and
sell their products to all who come for
them with the cash. The United States
government has nothing to do with the
business of private individuals.

All true American citizens are with
the President in this crisis and will
back him to the limit if war results.
He has been accused by many people
with surrendering too many rights in
order to preserve peace. His positive
action now may be expected to bring
some criticism from unpatriotic poli-
ticians who are afraid the people will
indorse the President's action. Also, it
will serve to uncover a lot of un-Amer-
ican residents who are enjoying the
liberties and blessings of the United
States, with the right to vote for or
against this country right here within
our borders.

The President was warmly applauded
when he had finished reading his
statement of facts in Congress. He
made no comment outside of the his-
tory of the country's promises, and did
not make any recommendation to Congress.

Senator James on Message.

Washington, April 19.—Senator James
said, discussing the President's mes-
sage: "It was a strong message. I
deeply regret that it was necessary,
but the President has done all that pa-
tience and diplomacy could accomplish.
If Germany will do that which she has
heretofore promised and do it in good
faith there will be no severance of dip-
lomatic relations."

What It Would Mean.

Washington, D. C., April 19.—It is
now up to Germany. That being con-
ceded, members of Congress are ask-
ing: Should Germany provoke the
break, and one come, what then? How
long before a diplomatic break would
be changed into a state of war? The
answer is:
"As soon as Germany commits such
act or acts as to force the United States
to declare war."

There is the delicate situation. But,
it is pointed out, Germany's diplomati-
c relations with Italy were severed
some time ago and Austria, her ally,
is at war with Italy, yet the breach be-
tween the latter and Germany has not
taken on the more serious character.
In the United States harbors today
are \$60,000,000 worth of ships, which
would be seized immediately should
war be declared.

Germany needs ships, and this would
be one point which would influence it
against even a state of war, and Wash-
ington is hoping for the best and wait-
ing, and, while waiting, getting ready.

FINE BABY DAUGHTER.

Atty. and Mrs. John W. Woods are
rejoicing over the arrival of a fine baby
daughter at their home on E. Bath-av.
We are glad to report that both moth-
er and baby are doing nicely and that
papa Woods is accepting cases filed to-
day in his law office for nothing.—Ash-
land Independent.

BIG COAL COMPANY SECURES CHARTER.

Huntingtonians are incorporators in
a \$250,000 corporation which was char-
tered at Charleston yesterday, the pur-
pose of which is to develop valuable
coal lands on Pond creek, in Pike-co.,
Kentucky. The concern is to be known
as the Kentucky By-Products Coal Co.,
and it has an authorized capitalization
of \$250,000. The incorporators are Z. T.
Vinson, Donald Clark, E. F. Frost, E.
M. Watts and A. E. Bush, all of Hunt-
ington.

Col. Vinson explained last night that
the company has 3,000 acres of coal
land in Pike-co., on the Pond creek ex-
tension of the Norfolk & Western. The
territory is as yet untouched but is ad-
jacent to producing operations.

The incorporators represent the
principal stockholders, with one or
two exceptions, the identity of whom
Col. Vinson declined to disclose last
night.

OSBORN-PERRY

In the NEWS of the 14th inst. it was
said that on the following day, April
15th, Miss Mabel Osborn, of this city,
would be married to Mr. T. J. Perry, of
west Virginia. The following contribu-
tion gives the particulars of the inter-
esting event. The young bride is a very
pretty and attractive girl, a general
favorite, intelligent and accomplished.
The lucky groom is to be congratulated
on his success in his matrimonial ven-
ture.

Married, Thomas Jefferson Perry,
principal of Cattaraugus, W. Va., public
schools, to Miss Mabel Osborn, of Lou-
isa, daughter of Mrs. Rebecca Osborn,
widow of the late Prof. W. T. Osborn,
at the home of the bride on lower West
Main-st., at 9:20 a. m., last Saturday
morning, the Rev. Young, of the M. E.
Church officiating. Those present were
Mrs. Rebecca Osborn, mother of the
bride, Elizabeth and Garnet, sisters of
the bride and J. S. Osborn, a brother,
Boyd Jarrell, of Huntington, uncle of
the bride, Mrs. Boyd Jarrell, of Hunt-
ington, Miss Joe Wilson, of Louisa, and
Miss Verna Harris, of Crum, West Va.

The young couple left immediately
on their honeymoon trip to Cincinnati
and other points.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs.
J. M. Perry, of Wayne. They will make
their home at Catlettsburg.

A FRIEND.

FORT GAY WEDDING.

Miss Ethel Chapman and Mr. Gra-
ham Tavenner, of Fort Gay, were mar-
ried Saturday at Ironton. They were
accompanied by Miss Gussie Reynolds
and a brother of the groom. The bride
is quite young, and is a daughter of
Mrs. Stella Chapman. Mr. Tavenner is
a son of the N. & W. roadmaster. The
railroad office at Kenova. They are ex-
cellent young people and have the best
wishes of the community.

LOCAL CLEAN UP DAYS NEXT WEEK

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATUR-
DAY, APRIL 27TH, 28TH
AND 29TH.

The last three days of next week have
been selected as clean up days for Lou-
isa. The Mayor and Marshal will ar-
range for having the streets and alleys
thoroughly cleaned.

All citizens are requested to put on
some extra touches about their prem-
ises.

Sheriff Stone has been in communi-
cation with the Fire Marshal's depart-
ment and they have agreed to send Mr.
W. R. Hukill here from Paris to as-
sist in directing the clean up and in-
structing our citizens in regulations
which will prevent fire losses. All rub-
bish and paper and inflammable accu-
mulations will thus be cleaned up.

Let everybody join heartily in this
good movement and give our pretty lit-
tle city a spring dressing up.

TEN COMMANDMENTS FOR CLEAN CITY.

Thou shalt locate, report and abate
all public nuisances.

Thou shalt provide a covered recep-
tacle for all manner of house and stable
refuse.

Thou shalt remember that filth breeds
flies and that flies make funerals.

Thou shalt gather and burn all sorts
of combustible rubbish.

Thou shalt have continual warfare
on weeds, dandelions and untrimmed
trees.

Thou shalt whitewash, or paint, thy
buildings and keep thy premises con-
stantly clean.

Thou shalt not spit on sidewalks or
in any public place or conveyance.

Thou shalt not sweep thy sidewalk in
the business section after 7:30 a. m.

Thou shalt not throw tin cans, or
rubbish in any back yard, vacant lot,
or alley.

Thou shalt strictly obey these pre-
cepts that our name and fame may be
the foremost of the cities of the land.

FORBES FOUND GUILTY.

After forty-two hours' deliberation,
the jury which heard the trial of Rob-
ert Forbes, charged with the murder
of Hannibal Hurst at a dance at Jack-
son, Breathitt-co., last Christmas, re-
turned a verdict at 9 o'clock this morn-
ing, finding Forbes guilty of man-
slaughter. He was sentenced to serve
ten years in the penitentiary. The case
was given the jury at 3 o'clock Wed-
nesday afternoon.

S. S. CONTEST BETWEEN CARTER AND LAWRENCE.

Greetings from Carter county Sun-
day School Association to Bro. M. S.
Burns, Pres. of Lawrence county Sun-
day School Association.

Mrs. John W. Kitchen begs to accept
your friendly challenge for the largest
crowd at Bible school May 7, 1916. We
as an associate neighbor, friends, co-
workers for Christ, with the love and
kindest feelings enter into this contest.
Lawrence county as my alma mater
and Mr. M. S. Burns from whom I re-
ceived my first plans for organizing, al-
so convention work, whose kind words
I doubly cherish.

Although babes in
the work, as we are now entering our
third year of active district organiza-
tion, we feel that he as president of one
of the best organized counties, an or-
ganization of 17 or 18 years standing,
has shown his appreciation of our work
and conferred an honor on our associa-
tion through this challenge. With much
pleasure we march into battle. With
best wishes I remains yours for Christ.

MRS. JOHN W. KITCHEN.

Pres. Carter Co. S. S. Association.

MRS. SPENCER ENTERTAINS.

A social function in which Mrs. D. C.
Spencer was hostess and nearly a score
of lady friends were guests was given
Tuesday afternoon. It was a very hand-
some, and, we may correctly say, a
very delicious affair. Flinch was the
diversion and everything pertaining to
the game, including tasteful cards,
lunch cloths and the very delicious re-
freshment that was offered, spoke of
the Easter tide. This joyous occasion,
meaning Easter, afforded wide scope
for the ingenuity of decorators con-
fectioners and cooks and this skill was
exercised very artistically indeed. The
gowns of the fortunate females who
graced the occasion were appropriate
and very becoming to the wearers. Ten
spirited games were played and then
came a salad course, ices, cake, coffee
and the various hick nacks which add
so nicely to refreshment of this kind.
It was a delightful affair, pleasant and
enjoyable to all present.

HUGHES PRISON LABOR BILL OPPOSED BY KENTUCKIANS.

Washington, April 14.—Eli Brown,
Jr., Frankfort; Thomas F. Hatcher,
Pikeville, and Warden Chilton, of the
Kentucky State prison at Eddyville,
voiced their opposition to the Hughes
bill "to limit the effect of the regula-
tion of interstate commerce between
the states in goods, wares and mer-
chandise manufactured, mined or pro-
duced by convict labor in any prison or
reformatory."

They appeared before a subcommit-
tee of the Senate Committee on Educa-
tion and Labor made up of Senators
Johnson, Underwood and Kenyon. Their
contention was that Kentucky prison
products would suffer if the proposed
legislation is enacted.

E. E. SHANNON STARTS NEW STORE BUILDING.

E. E. Shannon, proprietor of the Lou-
isa Furniture & Hardware company, has
broken ground for his new build-
ing on the corner of Main and Water
streets, adjoining Enterprise Block,
which he recently purchased from
Snyder brothers.

The building will be 42x104 feet and
will give him a lot of much needed
room in which to display furniture and
other goods.

CLEAN COMMUNITIES HEALTHY.

Filth in itself cannot generate dis-
ease, but in the long run, barring un-
usual exceptions, low death rates and
long life always come with records of
clean communities.

The "Clean Up and Paint Up" cam-
paign is, after all, a housekeeping job,
and for that reason every housekeeper
should co-operate with the town spot-
less. Nothing pleases one more than to
have a visitor say what a beautiful town
you live in. Why not make your town
the cleanest in America? It's easily done.
Have harmony reign and all work to-
gether and you will be surprised at the
result. Now, let us all pull together
for a spotless town!

T. V. JOHNS SELLS HIS FARM NEAR LOUISA.

Taylor V. Johns has sold his farm
just south of Louisa to E. E. Shannon.
This is a part of the large Johns farm,
to which Taylor was one of the heirs.
Mr. Shannon had previously purchased
the interest of another heir, covering a
part adjoining this.

REV. McELDOWNY AT MOREHEAD.

Rev. McEldowny is doing the preach-
ing in a revival at Morehead but will
return home for the Sunday services.
Easter services will be held Sunday
morning. Subject of sermon, the Resur-
rection. At night he will preach on
"Weddings."

CHILDREN CREMATED.

Two Tots Left in Home By Mother
Burned To Death.

Inez, Ky., April 17.—On Rockcastle
creek, in the southern part of this
county, near Delong, the two children
of Dick Carter, 5 and 2 years old, were
cremated when the Carter home burn-
ed.

SON OF WILLIAMSON MAN DIES AT SCHOOL.

Accompanied by several cadets the
body of Earl Witte, son of attorney C.
M. Witte, of Williamson, W. Va., was
taken to his home for burial. The boy
was 16 years of age and died at the
Greenbrier Military Academy after a
short illness of acute indigestion.

GASOLINE AND OIL.

You will find at the Louisa Garage
a full line of gasoline, oils, cup and
compression greases, batteries, etc.
Also, parts and supplies for automo-
biles, gasoline engines, and McCormick
and Deering mowing machines.

A WARNING.

On Monday last two boys at Inniana-
polis, Ind., aged two and four years,
died shortly after eating candy Easter
eggs. They died in a few minutes af-
ter becoming ill.

ANOTHER GOOD WELL.

Well No. 5 on W. M. Savage's farm
near Talleburg was drilled in a few
days ago. It is a paying producer, Mr.
Savage now has the best income from
oil of any land owner in the county.

JURY DISAGREED IN WEBB HOLT'S CASE

TRIAL OF MAN ACCUSED OF BE-
ING ACCESSORY ALMOST
COMPLETED.

The taking of testimony in the case
of the commonwealth vs. Webb Holt
was followed by the argument of at-
torneys for both sides and the case was
given to the jury late Saturday after-
noon. The jury remained out until Sun-
day morning when they appeared in
court and reported to Judge Cisco that
they had not been able to agree upon a
verdict. He then dismissed them un-
til Monday morning, allowing them to
deliberate meantime upon the case. In
reply to a question asked them by the
court they responded that they had not
been able to agree and asked for fur-
ther time. At noon they reported that
they were still unable to agree and they
did not think they would ever come to-
gether in a verdict. The case was con-
tinued until the August term of the
court, the jury was discharged and the
defendant released upon bail. The court
then called the case against Henry Bur-
sey, who had been jointly indicted with
Holt. The commonwealth announced
ready, but the defense said they were not
ready and asked that the case be con-
tinued. The motion was overruled and
the formation of the jury began. The
venue was speedily exhausted and the
court ordered the sheriff to summons
sixty additional jurors. On Tuesday
morning work of obtaining a panel be-
gan and contrary to the opinion of
many there was but little time con-
sumed in obtaining the necessary num-
ber of jurors.

They are as follows: John Lyons,
W. D. Church, Henry Crum, Sam Poe,
Critt Bryan, Lindsay Collinsworth, Jesse
Jordan, A. E. Ferry, John Chandler,
O. B. Stump, Tip Wheeler, M. J. Baker.

The speaking is about over as we go
to press, and the jury will get the case
Thursday evening.

Before going into the trial of the Bur-
sey case Judge Cisco ordered that all
the cases tried on the criminal docket
not heretofore continued be continu-
ed until the August term of the court,
excepting the case then on trial and the
case of the commonwealth vs. Ander-
son, John D. Perkins and H. Perkins,
charged with the murder of John Per-
kins, who was a son of Squire Meredith
Perkins. The John D. Perkins here
mentioned is better known as John Dial
Perkins. The offense with which com-
mittees are charged was committed
five or six years ago near Webb-
ville, and defendants left this county
after the occurrence, but came back and
were released on bail.

The Judge continued these several
cases on the criminal docket in order
that as much of the civil docket as pos-
sible could be tried.

Milt Fraley, charged with breaking
into the store of W. S. Castle, on Blaine
was tried and acquitted.

CHANCE TOOK THE RISK.

Chance Kise, of Kise station, rode
from Chapman to Louisa on a through
freight Tuesday. The train did not stop
here, but Chance did. The freight was
breaching along about 30 miles an hour
when Chance bet himself he could get
off and stop. He took the risk near the
freight depot in lower Louisa, and when
picked up his face was so bloody and
badly cut that his closest friends would
hardly recognize him. He was assailed
by Dr. Burgess' office and his wounds
were dressed. He returned home Tues-
day evening on the passenger train.

KENTUCKY DEPUTY SHERIFF ASTOUNDS CITY DETECTIVES.

Chicago, April 11.—Deputy Sheriff J.
A. Thompson, of Middleboro, Ky.,
trailed two men twenty miles by blood-
hounds, then by rail to Chicago. He
waited two days, then arrested two
men who appeared to claim certain
baggage that had been shipped from
Kentucky. And to-night the Kentucky
Sheriff departed with his prisoners.

They had not murdered anybody nor
robbed a bank. They were wanted on
the charge of "stealing five suits of
clothes, \$10 and a gun."

Chicago detectives were astounded at
Mr. Thompson's zeal.

64 DRILLING RIGS OPERATE IN KENTUCKY

AVERAGE NEW PRODUCTION IS
THREE TIMES THAT OF
LAST YEAR.

Barbourville, Ky., April 16.—Kenti-
ucky petroleum developments now in-
clude a scope of territory extending
entirely across the State in both direc-
tions, from the West Virginia border to
the Mississippi River and southward
from the Ohio River counties into Ten-
nessee. The revival of the industry,
beginning in the winter with the ad-
vent of the highest prices ever quoted,
has started a search for new producing
territory, which now includes most of
the counties of the State, activity being
evidenced either by new drilling opera-
tions or by extensive leasing in prepa-
ration for drilling. Drilling rigs in
commission this week numbered fifty-
four, or three times the number in op-
eration at this time last year. The av-
erage new production being developed
each week is more than three times the
average shown at this season last year,
a daily yield of 700 barrels shown in
the first week this month being a re-
cord.

Shallow and districts continue most
active. In new work, Estill and Allen
counties lead, as usual, with a number
of good strikes reported from each
field. Estill county operations have
been retarded by the bad condition of
the roads, preventing the starting of
much proposed work, but with twenty
or more wells drilling, this field con-
tinues the center of activity in Ken-
tucky. Five strikes are reported for the
week, with a smaller than average ca-
pacity. The best of new strikes yield-
ed forty barrels. Two hundred new
wells are now in prospect for Estill and
neighboring fields. In the bordering
county of Powell some new strikes fur-
ther define an extension in that direc-
tion. Work is getting under good head-
way in the lower portion of Madison
county, while new work is proposed for
Clark county, into which operators hope
to prove an extension of the Estill
county sand.

The older producing areas of Wayne,
Wolfe, Lawrence and Morgan counties
have figured lightly in late returns.
Three new completions are reported
from Wayne-co., the best yielding fif-
teen barrels. In the upper Kentucky
districts the only new production was
furnished by a brace of small wells
credited to Wolfe and Lawrence coun-
ties.

In advance work starting up some
new tests in the old Floyd-Knott field,
are commanding attention.

TRACTION ENGINE TESTS SUCCESSFUL ON ROADS.

The traction engine which the Law-
rence Fiscal Court contemplates buy-
ing to pull the road machine is now be-
ing tried out on the roads. The results
so far are excellent. A trial of 30 days
is permitted by the manufacturers and
a thorough test will be made. So far it
gives every promise of solving a prob-
lem that heretofore has been quite ex-
pensive and vexatious.

It is much more powerful than two
spans of mules, it never tires, and it
"eats" only when it works.

PITTSBURG LIVESTOCK.

Pittsburg, April 19.—Cattle steady;
supply light. Choice 885@915; prime
925@965. Sheep steady; supply light.
Prime wethers 780@800; cull and com-
mon 400@550; lambs 700@1010; veal
calves 1050@1125. Hogs—steady; re-
ceipts 10 double decks. Prime heavies
1025@1030; mediums and heavy pork-
ers 1015@1025; light Yorkers 950@975;
pigs and roughs 900@925.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Chicago, April 19.—Hogs, receipts 33-
000; steady at decline. Bulk 975@985;
light 935@990; mixed 945@990; heavy
930@990; rough 930@950; pigs 720@
910. Cattle receipts 1,000; steady. Na-
tive beef steers 785@10.00; stockers and
feeders 585@850; cows and heifers 400
@920; calves 700@1025. Sheep receipts
17,000; firm. Wethers 890@915; ewes
500@880; lambs 745@1165; easter
springs 10.00@17.00.

HAVE MOVED TO LOUISA.

Mr. Paris Beavers and family have
moved from West Virginia to this city
and are comfortably domiciled in the
Mrs. George Adams property on the
corner of Madison and Lady Washing-
ton streets. Before marriage Mrs. Bea-
vers was Miss Effie Frazier, of Ft. Gay,
and attended school in Louisa. She is
an attractive young matron with a
pretty daughter of eleven years. Lou-
isians will be glad to have these nice
people among them.

The NEWS is informed that Mr. Jas.
Beavers, an uncle, will make his home
with his niece and nephew.

WANTS JAIL TERM TO FIX TENURE.

In his official announcement for the
Republican renomination for Congress
in the Eleventh district published in
the mountain press, Caleb Powers
frankly states that he wants his con-
gressional tenure to equal the length
of time he served in jail charged with
complicity in the assassination of Gov.
William Goebel. "I want the Repub-
licans of the Eleventh Congressional
district," his announcement reads, "to
keep me in office as long as the Demo-
crats kept me in jail. My hat is in the
ring until the fight is finished if a
fight there is to be."

STAFFORD-PATRICK.

Asbury Patrick, of Salyersville and
Miss Leona Stafford, of this city were
married Tuesday night, Rev. H. B. Con-
ley, of the Baptist church officiating.
The bride is a daughter of the late W.
W. Stafford and resided with her moth-
er, Mrs. Martha J. Davis. The groom
is a resident of Salyersville and one
of the leading republicans of Eastern
Kentucky. Mr. Patrick served four
years as U. S. Marshal for this district
and is at present in the employ of
"Uncle Sam." They left Saturday for
their honeymoon trip, after which they
will return to Salyersville, where it is
said they will make their future home.
—Paintsville Post.

COCA-COLA BUILDING WILL BE TWO STORIES.

The Coca-Cola Bottling company de-
cided to make their new brick building
two stories instead of one and the walls
are nearing the necessary height. The
second floor will be used for storage
purposes until later on.

STORM ABOUT PAINTSVILLE.

Paintsville, Ky., April 17.—A terri-
ble rainstorm swept over Johnson-co. last
night, doing much damage to early
farming operations. Lightning struck a
high tension wire on Main-st., doing
considerable damage to the light plant
and telephone equipment.

SENATOR FOREMAN'S NAME IS SUBMITTED.

Berkeley Springs, W. Va., April 15.—
George M. Bowers, of Martinsburg, for-
mer United States Commissioner of
Fisheries, was nominated by the Re-
publican convention here to-day as a
candidate for Congress from the Sec-
ond district to fill the unexpired term
of the late William G. Brown. The con-
vention was harmonious throughout, the
nomination being made by acclamation.
A number of prominent state officials
addressed the convention.

HAD RELATIVES HERE.

Wade Earl Buchanan, age 38, died
April the 6th of tuberculosis of the
lungs at his home in Lincoln, Ill. He
was a son of Mr. George Buchanan,
who formerly lived in this county, and
whose death was noticed in the NEWS
several months ago. The deceased was
a cousin of Mrs. H. E. Ferguson, of this

PREPAREDNESS

Our new Spring Goods are here, and more are coming to meet the demands of our customers.

We have the very latest in dress goods of all kinds, from calicoes to fine silks, white goods and curtain goods, fine crochet threads of all kinds and colors.



We think we are safe in saying we have the finest line of embroideries and laces that has been on display in this city for a long time.

We have the exclusive sale in Louisa for the JACKSON CORSETS and the noted line of HAMILTON BROWN SHOES.

Don't forget our Groceries. We keep full and fresh lines of all kinds of good things to eat.

We are prepared to supply your needs in any of these lines. Prices always reasonable.

A. L. BURTON,

Louisa, Kentucky

NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST FROM THE WORLD AT LARGE.

THURSDAY.

Several United States citizens have been killed and others wounded in bandit raids in the vicinity of Guaymas, Sonora, according to a naval radio message received yesterday at San Diego. The cruiser Denver has been ordered to proceed to the Mexican coast port at once. No details were given in the message.

Villa bandits, said to have numbered between 500 and 1,000, sacked the town of Sierra Mojada in Coahuila on April 5, and destroyed thousands of dollars' worth of American property, according to information reaching the border. Reports that the outlaw leader himself was with this band indicate that he may have eluded the pursuing Americans and made his way more than 100 miles east of the expeditionary force. This report is substantiated by the belief that Reyes with his followers is in the same section and that the two bandits will effect a juncture.

Washington officials last night were considering the sending of more troops into Mexico to assist in protecting the ever lengthening column of Gen. Pershing.

Resources of the national banks of the United States are given at \$13,835,000,000, an increase of 20 per cent. with in a year, exceeding by \$3,000,000,000 the aggregate resources of the Bank of England, the Bank of France, the Bank of Russia, the Reichsbank of Germany, the Bank of Japan, the Bank of the Netherlands and the Swiss National Bank, and marks a new level in financial strength for the United States.

The bill making the Lincoln memorial farm, near Hodgenville, Ky., a national park, was passed by the lower branch of Congress without a dissenting voice.

Four men were arrested in New York last night charged with having manufactured fire bombs and having put them on the steamship Kirkswald.

FRIDAY.

American cavalry, under Maj. Thompson, was fired upon by a Mexican mob at Parral Wednesday. Although the numerous reports fail to agree on the number of casualties it has been fairly well established that only one American trooper was killed. When attacked

by the Parral mob the American force withdrew and camped, but was attacked again later in the night.

The Parral incident was seized upon by Gen. Carranza for a renewal of his request transmitted earlier in the day that the American forces be withdrawn from Mexico. The de facto leader in his note transmitted through the Washington Embassy stated that permission had never been given for the expeditionary force to enter and that the Americans had done so under a misunderstanding. Indications in Washington last night were that the demand would not be complied with until the object of the expedition had been accomplished.

Steps were taken along the border yesterday to watch all Carranza columns that might menace the American line of communication.

It is reported from Berlin that the German toll in the siege of Verdun was not 200,000, the losses being in proportion to the gains. It is also said the French losses have exceeded 150,000 officers and men.

Three more arrests were made in New York in connection with the alleged conspiracy to destroy ships carrying war munitions to the Entente Allies. Warrants are out for two others, thus involving nine persons in all.

SATURDAY.

Secretary Lansing announced yesterday that he was prepared to treat with Gen. Carranza's proposal for the withdrawal of American troops from Mexico. It was added, however, that no immediate withdrawal was in contemplation. Secretary Lansing said the United States had not agreed to restrict the punitive expedition to the territory it had reached March 23.

In a statement given out by the Carranza Foreign Office last night it was stated that the de facto Government would insist that the punitive expedition be limited to 1,000 cavalrymen and that the force limit itself to a line sixty miles south of the border. The only purpose of the expedition, so far has been to excite the populace, the statement declares.

The right of a mule to kick when properly provoked was recognized yesterday by the Court of Appeals which reversed a verdict for \$500 in favor of a mine employe who was kicked.

SUNDAY.

President Wilson is willing to treat with Gen. Carranza on two points, the limit of distance to be covered by the

American expeditionary force in its chase of Villa and the withdrawal of the American troops within "a reasonable time." The President's decision was reached after the entire situation had been gone over by the Cabinet and other Government advisors. Secretary Baker announced that in the meantime the status of the expedition had not changed, that it would continue and no change in plan would be made.

Reports received at El Paso from Parral indicate that the number of Americans killed in the skirmish with natives was not over five and that the Mexicans lost 100 killed and wounded. American troops have been rationed and equipped and are being held in readiness at various points along the border to enter Mexico in case of eventualities.

According to official announcement at Washington late last night, two Americans were killed at Parral and forty Mexicans.

Harmless bombs were hurled at the White House, Capitol and other Government buildings of the National Capital from the sky yesterday by an aviator, who said he wanted to demonstrate the nation's helplessness in defense from warfare of this character.

Five Kentuckians to act as State advisors to the Naval Advisory Board were selected yesterday by the Navy Department. Richard Montfort was elected chairman of the Kentucky Board at a meeting held in Louisville last Friday.

Two ships were tied up in New York by demands of seamen for wage increases, which appeared to be the forerunner of a general strike of all classes on ocean-going steamships.

To name delegates to the Democratic State Convention, which meets in Lexington May 24, Louisville will have eight district mass meetings Saturday, May 20.

Two keepers in a Brooklyn jail have been dismissed for alleged conduct in a plot of J. T. T. Lincoln, self-confessed German spy, to escape from jail.

Mystery surrounds the murder of "Billy" Clark, 8 years old, whose body, after a search of three weeks, was found in a swamp near Albany, N. Y.

The Panama Canal was reopened to traffic yesterday with the passage of sixteen ships.

MONDAY.

Unofficial messages received yesterday at Juarez over the Mexican telegraph lines from Chihuahua state Villa is dead, that his burial place had been betrayed by a former Villa officer and that the body had been recovered. It was reported the body was being brought into Chihuahua, and would eventually be brought to Chihuahua City. These reports were not confirmed officially. Washington announces that United States troops will be withdrawn from Mexico at once if the report is confirmed that Villa is dead.

The information was received by Mexican Consul Garcia. The news came in dispatches from telegraph operators at Madera and Chihuahua.

It was a force of Carranza soldiers who engaged the little detachment of American cavalry at Parral Wednesday in a regularly organized action, according to a detailed report written by Maj. Frank Tompkins and forwarded by Gen. Pershing to Gen. Funston. Forty of the Mexican soldiers, including one Major, were killed by the retreating Americans. The American casualties were two killed and six wounded, including Maj. Tompkins. His wound was slight.

George W. Peck, former Governor of Wisconsin, author of "Peck's Bad Boy," died at Milwaukee yesterday.

Coast guardsmen rescued five men in disabled motorboats from the Ohio river falls yesterday.

TUESDAY.

Confirmation of the report that the body of Villa had been found was lacking last night at El Paso, Juarez and Chihuahua. United States Consul Letcher, at the latter place, said he had heard nothing of the report. It is claimed that the wires are down between Juarez and Chihuahua. Mexicans express confidence in the report that Villa is dead.

Six Mexicans, who are said to have confessed implication in the raid on Columbus, N. M., have been arrested by New Mexico authorities.

Army officers at Gen. Pershing's headquarters state that Maj. Frank

Tompkins received a written threat from the commander of the Carranza garrison at Parral that his men would be attacked if they entered the city, and that they were ambushed.

It is reported that typhoid fever is becoming epidemic in Mexico, endangering alike the United States troops and the natives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ranzell Brown were killed and their home at Napoleon, Ind., burned and robbed yesterday. Harry Sidwell was found in his room in his home at Bedford, Ind., with a bullet wound in his head and a 44-caliber pistol near by. Officers are investigating on theories of murder and suicide.

That a special session of the Kentucky Legislature would be necessary for enacting tax reforms was declared by Attorney Charles G. Middleton, in an address before the Louisville Bar Association.

Eight persons were killed and thirty-five injured in a collision of trains on the New Haven road at Bradford, R. I., last night.

THE HOME CIRCLE AND ITS INTERESTS.

Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join The Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Household Expressions.

Mind your business.—Shut up.—Get out.—I'll box your ears.—Let me alone.—Just wait till your father comes home.—Hold your tongue.—Behave yourself.—I won't.—You shall.—You'll get it.—You mean thing.—I'll tell you.—I did.—I didn't.—Twas you.—Twasn't either.—Get away from me.—Do you hear?—There, I knew you would do it.—Put up those things.—Stop those kids.—Stop that racket.—You little brat.—Go wash your hands.—Boo-hoo.—Johnny hit me.—You'll drive me crazy.

Brother, when you come in from work in the evening, we all know you are tired, but put on your best look and assume a happy mood; do not frown if the floor is not swept, nor supper ready. Engage the little folks just a little while and get them to looking forward to your coming with pleasure. It will help to happy home wonderfully.

A child should be made to feel that his home is indeed a home, the happiest place in the world, not merely an outward shelter and a resting place, but a center of enjoyment, sanctified and purified by love, the thought and remembrance of which should be the safeguard of his life as he goes forth to the world, giving strength and proportion to his character.

Life will always be to a large extent what we ourselves make it. Each mind makes its own little world. The cheerful mind makes it pleasant and the discontented mind makes it miserable.

While it is comparatively easy to be polite toward strangers, or toward people of distinction, whom we meet in society or on public occasions, still it should be remembered that it is at home in the family that an everyday politeness is really most prized, coming as it should from the kindly feeling of the heart.

A stranger entering a household knows whether the key note there is high or low. There are houses, effusive wealth and culture, where the discords are no less than that of brutes. But no symphony can compare with the significance of daily life, in a family of gentle words and noble conduct.

Others may love as fondly, but never again while time is ours, shall any one's love be to us as fond, as tender, as devoted, as was that of our dear old trembling mother. Through helpless infancy her throbbing heart was our safe protection and support, and through the ills and maladies of childhood, her gentle hand ministered and soothed as none other could. We feel animated to struggle more manfully in the great battle of life, when we remember our mother's holy counsel to us in childhood's early dawn and in the slippery paths of youth.

SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months."

I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing.

I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years.

At all druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page Book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N.C. 138

There is an old proverb "Home is home, be it ever so homely," but home should not be made any more homely than necessity requires. The family fireside should be associated, in the minds of the young people, with stern requirements of duty, but with a sense of pleasure. It is not enough to drill our sons with the severe discipline. They should be taught not only how to keep straight, but how to bend, since it is not in the power of nature to undergo a perpetual tension. Provision must be made at home for relaxation as well as work; for pleasure as well as duty. If such provision is not made there, it will be as it too often, sought elsewhere.

"It's only mother, anything will do for her!" If the words are not often actually expressed, the thought is too often acted upon. And yet if we stop to think, common decency tells us that only the best is good enough for mother—that her devotion, which surpasses all other love, is deserving of the deepest respect and affection; and that to forget her is the blackest and basest crime that man can commit.

The place to take the true measure of a man is not the market place or the arena corner, not the forum or the field, but at his own fireside. There he lays aside his mask and you may learn whether he is imp or angel, king or cur, hero or humbug. We care not what the world says of him—whether it crown him with jewels or pelt him with bad eggs, we care never a copper what his reputation may be. If his babies dread his coming home and better half swallows her heart every time she asks him for a five dollar bill, he's a fraud of the first water, even though he prays night and morn till he is black in the face and howls hallooah until he shakes the eternal hills.

The evening is the hour when crafty Satan preaches most eloquently. It is also the hour when he can gather the largest and most attentive audience. In our great cities Satan's church are crowded every evening. But, fortunately, the evening hour is also the hour in which the good angel can gather the largest audience and he who would baffle Satan's influence must preach in the evening. The evening is the hour when the protecting power of home is greatest; it is the hour when its protection is most needed.

LOOKOUTS CONSTRUCTED.

Lookout stations are being constructed by the Forestry Department in Bell and Harlan counties, and one probably will be erected in Jackson. Only one lookout exists in the State. That was erected in Letcher county by the Consolidation Coal company. The Harlan lookout will be on Gray Knob, midway between Pine Mountain and Cumberland Mountain on the Virginia line. Gray Knob is over 3,000 feet high and gives a view practically all over the county.

The lookout is to be equipped with telephone and the ranger has a telescope and has before him a map of the region, so that he can approximate the location of a fire and give the warning.

State Forester J. E. Barton announced the appointment of the following forest wardens: W. M. Parker, Wasioto, Bell-co.; A. H. Hamlin, Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle-co.; T. H. Hyden, Hyden, Leslie-co.; Robert Strong, Annville, Jackson-co.; James E. Pigk, London, Laurel-co.; S. G. Combs, Manchester, Clay-co.; J. E. Runyon, Sharpsburg, Pike-co.; E. F. Powell, Monticello, Wayne-co.; W. J. Stander, Ave, Lewis-co.; Roy Coleman, Carmel, Pike-co.; Peter Caudill, Falcon, Magoffin-co.; all Federal appointees, J. S. Arnett, Neola, Wolfe-co.; J. C. Newberry, Inez, Martin-co.

LUCASVILLE, OHIO.

Mrs. Heher, who has been very sick for some time is not expected to live. Henry Abbot has purchased an incubator and gone into the poultry business.

Mrs. Crowe, who is 109 years of age went visiting recently.

Work on the new C. and O. railroad from Sciotoville to Columbus is said to be progressing nicely.

Golden Wadkins has returned from Columbus sick.

The home of Amon Beasley has been made cheerful by the arrival of a fine boy.

W. R. Meadors bought some nice hogs this week.

Forbes Wadkins is contemplating a trip west this summer.

Henry Abbot and Frank Lunday were visiting W. R. Meadors this week. Joe Wadkins made a business trip to Kentucky where he purchased a horse.

E. L. Meadors will help his father farm this spring.

Tenna Beasley was visiting relatives on the west side recently.

S. E. May, who moved to West Va., some time ago is expected to return soon.

Frank Lunday made a business trip to Portsmouth recently.

Drew Wadkins will leave tonight bound for Mexico where he will join in the Villa hunt.

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NOTICE TO BRIDGE CONTRACTORS.

The County Judge of Lawrence county will receive sealed bids at his office, Louisa, Ky., till noon Monday, May 1, 1916 for the erection of the following bridges:

No. 1. Over Dry Fork creek at Webbville, and is 100 ft. extreme length 12 ft. roadway, 3 inch white oak floor. High pin connected truss. Two concrete abutments 25 cu. yds. This bridge site is within 300 ft. of Webbville station on E. K. R. R. Sand and stone for concreting near site. Timbers, etc., near site.

No. 2. Over Dry Fork about one mile above Webbville. 85 ft. extreme length, 12 ft. roadway, 3 inch white oak floor. High pin connected truss. Two concrete abutments 25 cu. yds. Sand and stone for concreting near site. Timbers, etc., near site.

These bridges are to be built by the plans and specifications of the Department of Public Roads, Frankfort, Ky. Plans, etc., can be had by addressing Commissioner of said department. For local information address County Engineer, Louisa, Ky. The county reserves the right to reject any or all bids for any cause.

april-31. B. J. CALLOWAY, C. R. E.

4000 EGGS GIVEN WEST VIRGINIA FARMERS.

Four thousand eggs of the white leg-horn, Rhode Island red and barred rock chickens were distributed yesterday to farmers in Guyandotte and McComas districts by the Cabell County Farmers' Association. The eggs were secured from the West Virginia University experiment station at Morgantown and are furnished the farmers at cost.

The association is making an effort to stock the farmers of Cabell county with pure bred chickens as well as pure bred stock.—Herald-Dispatch.

Read the ads. in the NEWS—you will save money.

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Lv. 2:00 p. m., Daily—For Williamsburg, Welch, Bluefield, Roanoke, Lynchburg, Norfolk, Richmond, Pullman Sleepers. Cafe Car.

1:55 p. m., Daily—For Williamsburg, Welch, Bluefield, Roanoke, Norfolk, Richmond, Pullman Sleeper to Norfolk. Cafe Car.

Train leaves Kenova 8:25 a. m.—Daily for Williamsburg, via Wayne, and leaves Kenova 6:45 p. m., for Portsmouth and local stations, and leaves Kenova 5:50 a. m., Daily for Columbus and local stations.

For full information apply to W. B. BEVILL, Pass. Traff. Mgr. W. C. SAUNDERS, Genl. Pass. Agt. ROANOKE, VA.

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Effective January 3, 1915.

Local trains leave Louisa, southbound, 7:35 p. m., week days and 5:18 p. m., daily.

North bound, leave Louisa 9:48 a. m., daily; 6:00 p. m., week days. Arrive Ashland 11:15 a. m., daily; 6:00 p. m., week days.

To Lexington, Louisville and West
Leave Ashland 3:00 p. m., 4:25 a. m., daily. Local, week days to Lexington, 10:35 a. m.

To Cincinnati and West.
Leave Ashland, express, daily, 4:15 a. m., 12:40 p. m., Locals 1:25 p. m., daily.

Leave Ashland, express, daily, 4:35 a. m., 1:00 p. m., Locals, 1:50 p. m., daily.

Eastbound, Main Line.

Leave Ashland, express, daily, 3:56 p. m., 12:30 a. m. Local daily to Huntington, 12:32 p. m., runs to Hinton week days.

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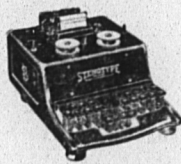
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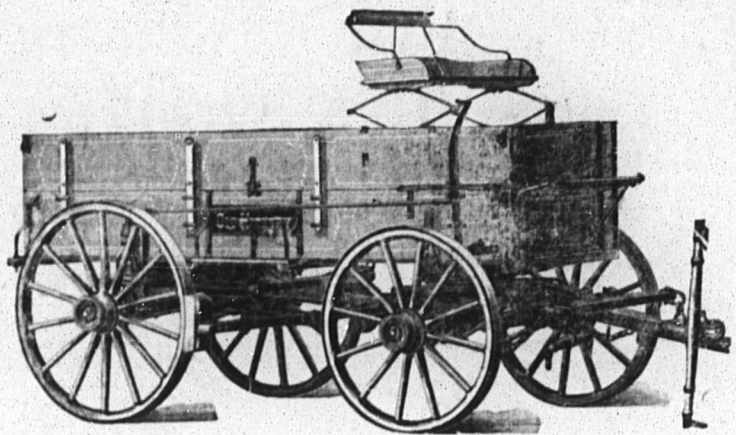
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LETCHER COUNTY AND WHITESBURG.

What is Happening in this Rich Coal Territory of Kentucky.

WHITESBURG, KY., April 18.—Perhaps the most important moonshine raid made in Eastern Kentucky in several months was closed Thursday when General Deputy Collector U. G. McFarland of Glasgow with Marshals S. H. Thorpe, Richmond, John M. Riddle, this city, John Roberts of Jackson and G. A. Sizemore, Hazard, in Perry and Leslie counties below here where they cut and destroyed three large stills, one with a capacity of seventy-eight gallons, the largest moonshine still destroyed in years, with large quantities of whiskey and beer. At least three thousand gallons of beer were poured out by the revenuers, it is said. Three moonshiners were apprehended and brought before U. S. Commissioner Samuel Collins in this city. They were bound over to the U. S. District Court at Jackson for final trial. Officers all over this section are to be complimented for their faithful and untiring efforts at running down whiskey violators and their work will be effective of good results. The future will tell.

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The Circuit Court and Judge John F. Butler holding the term is still active in its efforts at putting the ban on the whiskey traffic and during the past week tried out a number of the cases each day resulting in the extreme penalty, both fines and jail sentences. Judge Butler often expresses himself as thoroughly determined to stop the evil traffic so long a menace to the advancement of this section. During the week Judge Butler ordered Sheriff Back to detail a deputy to Elkhorn creek in the eastern section of the county to arrest J. W. Bryant a whiskey vender whom officers allowed mercy last week owing to the illness of his wife said to be at the point of death. "I am informed," said Judge Butler, "that he is selling whiskey seven days in the week, and the evil must stop." Deputy Sheriff James Tolliver was detailed to the scene. Bryant was arrested and brought here, although his wife was still dangerously ill, and an investigation is to be made. On his trip to Elkhorn creek, and at a point near East Jenkins Deputy Sheriff Tolliver raided a whiskey resort and captured fifty-five gallons of whiskey, "the devil's dish water," commonly called. Two of the traffickers, Italian laborers were arrested and brought here. Officer Tolliver is being complimented for his success in handling matters looking to the enforcement of the law.

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At this time it looks like the taking of evidence in the case of the commonwealth against E. L. Miller and Walter Stewart for the murder of Policeman Ed W. Boggs in Dunham, a section of Jenkins in the coal fields last November will be started in the Circuit Court by to-morrow morning. Boggs, who had gone to arrest the men for being drunk and disorderly was killed without the least cause, it is said, and as a result the trial will be watched with unusual interest. The officer was prominent and popular all over this section being a member of the Baldwin-Felts Detective Agency of Bluefield.

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Rather than face the court on trial for grand larceny, the theft of \$600 dollars from his father-in-law, J. M. Meade a Raccoon creek merchant, Hezekiah Taylor of Millstone creek confessed to the charge and will get a year and day in the penitentiary. The theft took place a year ago since which time the case has been pending. Taylor is a member of a good family of people of the county and the affair is much regretted.

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Two deaths of Letcher county's venerable old women occurred in the county within the past few days. At the home of Uncle Wesley Hogg here Thursday afternoon Aunt Sallie Fugate aged 80, one of our pious mothers passed into eternity after long, patient suffering, having been unconscious for two or three days. Two sons, H. A. Fugate, Mayking merchant, and John D. Fugate of Florida survive her, besides hundreds of descendants of the old Adams family in Letcher and Knott counties. Two brothers, Randall of Knott and Uncle Sol Adams of this county survive Aunt Sallie. The interment took place in the Sandlick cemetery below here Friday.

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Aunt Sallie Fugate was commonly known as the "talkinest woman" in the county, talking being one of her greatest pleasures in life.

On Friday aunt Patsy Combs, aged 78, widow of the late uncle "Tab"

RHEUMATISM ARRESTED

Many people suffer the tortures of lame muscles and stiffened joints because of impurities in the blood, and each succeeding attack seems more acute until rheumatism has invaded the whole system. To arrest rheumatism it is quite as important to improve your general health as to purify your blood, and the cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is nature's great blood-maker, while its medicinal nourishment strengthens the organs to expel the impurities and uphold your strength. Scott's Emulsion is helping thousands every day who could not find other relief. Refuse the alcoholic substitutes.

tol. Tenn., was called in the Circuit Court and set down for the thirteenth day of the term. Blair, it is charged, killed Corbin with a rock as he went to board an L. & E. train for this city. At the time Corbin was employed on the Fields block in this city.

The case will cause considerable attention. A large number of witnesses will be examined.

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A large number of representative people of the mountains attended the conference with L. & N. officials in Louisville Friday afternoon in their efforts for a through passenger train between McRoberts and Louisville via Whitesburg. It is said the meeting was fruitful of good results and that an early train meeting their wishes will be granted by the railroad people, although it is considered very doubtful as to it being a night train, as asked for.

At any rate a through train is practically certain which will enable passengers to make the run direct to Louisville without any stop-over.

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County Judge Henry T. Day has ordered a meeting of the Letcher Fiscal Court for tomorrow and the body will consider petitions from eight good men in each of the eight voting precincts in the county as to the appointment of commissioners who are to handle the money to be voted in the election of May 6 of \$200,000 for further road building, and to see over the construction of the roads. The Fiscal Court should look well into the appointment of these men as much will depend upon them in the voting of the issue. At this time it looks as if there has lately been a change of sentiment as to the voting of the bonds, and it is likely that they will go down in defeat unless the very best and safest men are named as commissioners. Following the naming of the commissioners it is the purpose of good roads enthusiasts to send out speakers into every section of the county to thoroughly explain the issue. In that way it is hoped that the bonds will carry safely. The commissioners are to be equally divided between the political parties, four democrats and four republicans, to show the people of the county that no political feeling exists in the matter.

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The new city council composed of the following: Dr. B. C. Bach, Stephen Combs, Jr., E. P. Blair, C. H. Burton and others held an interesting meeting this week in which they condemned a part of Main street leading from the Kentucky hotel to the L. & E. depot. It is the purpose of the "City Fathers" to lay a tax necessary for the rebuilding of the thoroughfare, the work to be done during the pretty weather this summer and fall. Whitesburg slowly but surely keeps apace with the progress and prosperity of this section, the coming great section of the commonwealth.

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It is the purpose of The Coeburn Lumber Co., of this city to begin soon the development of the John Tolson Adams timber tract, consisting of all the hardwoods of this climate, lying along Mill creek near Mayking five miles above here. The work will give employment to a goodly number of men. L. Dow Collins, of this city will also shortly cut the Archie Craft timber lying along Thornton creek near Sergeant immediately above Mayking. All the timber lies contiguous to the L. & N. railroad.

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Marriage licenses issued the past week. Elmer Anderson, 30, to Rosa Jordan, 16, pretty formerly of Lawrence county; Lee Lucas, 25, to Maggie Lucas, 16; (they are said to be cousins.) Dock Frazier, 19, to Atha Ison, 18, Line Fork; Irvine Holcomb, 30, to Mary Holcomb, 21, Line Fork; Marion Campbell, 24, Perry county, to Miss Melba Whitaker, 20, Blackey; John Easterling, 24, Wolfe county, to Miss Surilda Napier, 17, formerly of Breathitt county. County Clerk Clerk Bentley says his papers are running short owing to the large number of marriages during the past two or three months.

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The current issue of The East Kentucky News carries the announcement of present County Court Clerk R. B. Bentley for re-election in 1917. Mr. Bentley is one of the strongest men in the mountains and if re-elected will make his fourth term. It is likely that he will have no opposition.

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The grand jury the past week completed its investigation into the shooting at Koma Station in this county March 31 in which Sam Marcum a well driller of Harlan county was instantly killed and J. Henry Hall superintendent of The Elkhorn Coal company seriously wounded, and Ed L. Williams clerk in the company's store held on a \$10,000 bond was released. The shooting, thoroughly investigated, was shown to be in self defense. It is said here that Supt. Hall is rapidly recovering in the Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington and will soon be able to return and resume his work at Koma Station. He has a legion of friends all over the coal fields who are anxious for his return.

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It is said here that The Whitesburg Telephone company is to begin soon some much-needed improvements on their system in the town and county. It is likely that a number of new lines will be built including a line to Line Fork via King's creek, while another line is practically assured from Whitesburg to Hindman. These lines will add much to the importance of the system. Local manager A. Q. Ramey will have charge of the work.

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The good road bonds issue has been the vital question discussed upon the streets, in the public places and in the county generally during the past few days. It can be seen that a large majority of the voters of the county favor good roads, but they assert that owing to the present management of affairs they believe it would be a good idea to wait awhile before voting the bonds. This idea, however, will be defeated, or at least a strong effort is going to be made. The time is ripe, the leaders of the fight, say for something to be done. Already good road work is getting pretty well along, and it would be a foolish idea to abandon the work at this time. Let the people get busy and push for the success of the bonds at all hazards.

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Letcher county, the wealthiest in the whole of the coal fields, needs and must have good roads. With good roads

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extending into all sections of the county Letcher will be the peer of all others in this end of the State. (Do you agree with me, ye good people of old Lawrence?). Get busy voters, get busy!

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The splendid weather of the past few days has been utilized by the most of the farmers over the county, and their work is progressing right along. Some of the farmers have started the work of planting corn. Let this be a banner year to the farmers of Letcher county. Let your slogan be "stick to the soil."

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Insurance hustlers Talt Combs and W. W. Oliver of Hazard were here soliciting this week. Mr. Combs represents The Commonwealth and Mr. Oliver the New York Life.

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Mr. W. S. Broadus hustling Richmond business man was here Friday.

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E. B. Franklin of the Letcher Building & Supply Co., returned from a business trip to Frankfort and Lexington.

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L. M. Miller of Kalamazoo, Mich., was registered here yesterday and will take a peep at Letcher's coal fields.

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Mr. A. B. Gilbert of Pineville was a guest of friends here during the week.

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Among the hustling good business men of Pikeville here during the first of the week were Attorney Frank Stowers, Fon Rodgers, P. B. Stratton and B. F. Johnson.

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J. C. Bland of Dallas, Tex., was registered here one day last week.

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Mr. A. M. Swain of Cincinnati was among the business visitors in town yesterday.

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E. R. Tate was here from Winchester talking to the merchants of Whitesburg. He always sells 'em.

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Thomas P. Cope of Jackson was in town Saturday.

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James Andrew Scott leading good business man of Frankfort and known from the Cumberland Mountains to the Mississippi river, was a Whitesburg visitor Thursday and Friday.

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Attorney S. M. Nickell of Hazard and C. B. Pence of Lexington were in Whitesburg the first of the week.

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S. L. Bastin manager of The Elkhorn Coal Co., Koma Station had business in the city Saturday.

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Mr. P. R. King leading traveling man of Gate City, Va., was in the city from Saturday until Monday calling on the merchants.

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Mr. J. I. Beal, St. Louis, was registered at the Whitesburg hotel Friday.

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Dr. J. M. Bentley was called to McRoberts Friday to see Mrs. Joseph Webb, formerly of Pert creek, who is seriously ill.

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Mr. V. Allen of Prestonsburg was among the business men in town last week.

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Marshal John M. Riddle returned from a business trip down the L. & E. railroad.

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WHITESBURG, KY., April 18.—It is stated here that the Letcher County Company National Guard for many years the pride of the State, organized in 1901 to quell the disturbances caused by the outbreak of the Ku Klux Klan in the Boone's Fork section of the county, and which has done much good is to be mustered out of service at once following directly the trouble between Sheriff C. H. Back and George W. Jenkins over the election of a Captain of the company not long ago. Since the investigation started not long ago the Adjutant General made the announcement that the company would be put out of commission. It is expected that this action will be taken at once.

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For several days there were three or four cases of small pox on Elk creek near Blackey the new town in the southern end of the county but physicians now say there is no further fears of alarm. They have the disease in hand.

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The stave mills of The Louisville Cooperage Co., have completed their work on Elk creek and will remove at once to the Dixon timber tract near Blackey recently purchased. It is said a year will be required to manufacture the timber. The lumber and stave business continues to gradually pick up all over this section and many men are employed in the different plants. The stave business is especially active.

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Colonel L. N. H. Salver, Whitesburg's "grand old man" the nestor of the Whitesburg bar and the oldest attorney in Eastern Kentucky still lingers low at his home in Whitesburg. Col. Salver is not expected to live many days. He was a colonel during the Civil war and saw active service on the field of battle. For several years he was the senior member of the law firm of Salver & Baker. He is in his 84th year.

County Supt. George W. Jenkins is advertising for bids on three modern new school houses for Letcher county, mostly for the Line Fork and Burd creek sections to be built before July 15, to be ready for the term of school this year. A goodly number of school houses have been built since Supt. Jenkins' induction into office, in fact Letcher county has made rapid strides in educational advancement.

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It is said here that the Elkhorn Coal Co., is getting into readiness to start a number of improvements and extensions in their hauling plant at Koma Station, Mouth of Boone's Fork, which will necessitate the employing of a goodly number of new men. An additional acreage has been secured on the north side of Boone's Fork where two additional mines are to be opened. An additional twenty-five miners' houses are to be built, contracts to be awarded within the next few days, it is said.

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From five to seven hundred people attended baptismal services at the old regular baptist church at Mayking, five miles from here Sunday. A number from this county and Wise and Dickenson counties, Va., held services. Three converts, including uncle Daugherty Adams of Blackey, were baptised.

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WHITESBURG, KY., April 18.—The case of the commonwealth against Jno. W. Bates, charged with perjury which was tried out in the Letcher Circuit Court yesterday resulted in a disagreement. It is not known as to how the jury stood, but the case was immediately passed until the August term of the court. Much interest was manifest throughout the hearing.

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May 15 is the date for the new train service over the Louisville & Nashville between Louisville and McRoberts as a result of recent efforts on the part of business men and others of this section. While a through train was wanted railroad officials did not favor the idea, but instead ordered a schedule for a day train, the train to leave each end of the line, Louisville and McRoberts each morning about 5 o'clock. This will enable passengers to leave McRoberts or any point along the line in the morning and reach Louisville about the middle of the afternoon.

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On the spur of the moment Judge John F. Butler concluded to try E. L. Miller and Walter Stewart, charged with the murder of Policeman Ed W. Boggs in Dunham in November separate, and entered immediately upon the trial of Miller. The hearings of both men will require it is said the remainder of the week. A large number of witnesses and others are on hand to watch the proceedings.

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The L. & N. pay train made the run between Lexington and the coal fields of this section Monday morning distributing thousands of dollars to its many employees. It is understood that the pay train will run every two weeks beginning May 1.

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Members of the Letcher Fiscal Court are holding a meeting here today during which time they will name road commissioners for each of the eight voting precincts in Letcher county who are to see to the proper use of the money, \$200,000, that is to be voted May 6 for the further prosecution of good road building in the county. There is much interest going the rounds at this time regarding the bond issue. At this time it looks like the question has some hard knockers who will do everything in their power to defeat the measure.

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Hustling Orville Phipps of Pikeville arrived here this week from Pikeville and will be employed as lineman for the Whitesburg Telephone Co. Young Phipps left here about a year ago and was formerly employed on the Starkey lines. He is welcomed back to Whitesburg.

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Eld. Joe Hall of Beaver creek, well known Primitive Baptist minister, known all over Eastern Kentucky, former member of the Kentucky Legislature, had business before the Letcher Circuit Court Monday. Eld. Hall has many friends in Letcher-co.

ORGANIZING JAIL SCHOOLS.

Campaign of Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart Active.

If the plans of Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, chairman of the Kentucky Illegitimacy Commission, are successful, there will be no illiteracy among the inmates of county jails by July 1. Mrs. Stewart hopes to organize "moonlight schools" in all of the county jails, and is sending letters and literature to the jailers asking them to co-operate with her along this line. A moonlight school has been in operation in the Franklin county jail for some time, and Boyd and Adair counties have moonlight schools in their jails.

McCARR, KY.

Miss Irene Sprigell of Red Jacket, was the guest of the Wilson girls of this place.

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Mrs. Dennis Bailey and Mrs. Neal George of Blackberry, were visiting friends at Albion Tuesday last.

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Miss Meggie Smith of Bond creek, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Pedd at this place has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McGowan were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guss Underwood Saturday and Sunday.

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Mrs. John Starr and Mrs. Anta Starr of Lynn, W. Va., were visiting; Mrs. Isaac Brewer of this place Sunday.

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Mrs. Forest Dehart of Matewan, was visiting her sister, Ballard Stafford of this place Sunday.

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Tom Smith of McCarr is expecting his mother this week from North Carolina.

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Work at this place is moving nicely. Saturday was pay day and there were several well pleased boys here.

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Harry Mounts, of this place is in visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Va.

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Bob Sprigell of Albion has moved to Blackberry.

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John Sprigell of Speed is moving to this place.

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Several girls of this place attended the show at Matewan Saturday night.

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Mr. A. Wilson of this place was visiting friends at Catlettsburg last week. Church at this place was largely attended Sunday.

BIG SANDY KID.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WM. TAYLOR, of Glenwood, announces that he will be a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the next primary election at which candidates for Sheriff are to be nominated.

We are authorized to announce Congressman W. J. FIELDS, of Carter-co., as a candidate for re-election, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary to be held in August, 1916. Your support is respectfully solicited.

We are authorized to announce that S. S. WILLIS, of Ashland, Boyd county, is a candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals from Seventh Appellate District, subject to the action of the Republican party at the primary to be held August 5, 1916.

We are authorized to announce LAKE WALTER as candidate for County Judge of Lawrence county subject to the action of the Republican party at the next primary at which the candidates for this office are to be nominated.

We are authorized to announce G. W. GOURLEY, of Beattyville, Ky., as a candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals for the Seventh Appellate District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Republican party at the Primary Election to be held August 5, 1916.

Friday, April 21, 1916.

The Democratic State Convention will be held on May 24th at Lexington. County conventions will meet on the 29th.

We are authorized to announce BASCOM MUNCY, of Louisa, Ky., as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the republican party in the next primary election at which candidates for sheriff are to be nominated.

There is a strong sentiment among the Democrats of the Ninth district in favor of sending former Congressman James N. Kehoe, of Maysville, as one of the district delegates to the Democratic National Convention at St. Louis. Mr. Kehoe has been a dominant figure in the party in Northeastern Kentucky for many years and he has a strong following among the rank and file in that section of the State.—Louisville Times.

Attorney A. O. Carter, of Louisa, would accept the honor of Democratic Presidential Elector for the Ninth Congressional district if the party sees fit to name him. His many friends in Lawrence and adjacent counties want to see this honor conferred upon him and will appreciate it very highly. Mr. Carter is not only a Democrat who always supports the ticket actively, but he is a gentleman of the highest integrity. He has served many years as chairman of campaign committees and of the executive committee. Every call made upon him has been answered.

The Republicans have chosen a Lawrence county man for Elector and the Democrats of this county want to pit against him one of their own number. In Mr. Carter we are offering one of their most popular men.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF G.W.GOURLEY FOR APPELLATE JUDGE.

Beattyville, Ky., February 1, 1916.

To the people of the Seventh Appellate District:

At the solicitation of many friends, I have concluded to become a candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals, subject to the action of the Republican party at the Primary Election to be held in August, 1916.

The people in the state and nation look to their courts for protection in their lives, liberties and property rights. The highest courts bring in review their rights and stand as a bulwark to the citizen when his constitutional or legal rights are invaded.

It is one of the glories of the American Commonwealth's and of the National Union that the courts, taken as a whole, are above reproach or suspicion.

The Seventh Appellate District is a large and important District full of business and full of development. A large volume of legal business goes from this District to the Court of Appeals at every term. Many important matters involving life, liberty and property must be settled by this court.

I promise you, that if elected to this great office, it shall be my sole purpose and desire to do the right, as I see the right to the end that all persons insofar as in my power lies, shall have full and ample justice regardless of their political affiliations, religious opinions or stations in life.

I sincerely hope that you may kindly lend me a helping hand, thus making sure my success in this, the greatest ambition of my life.

Most sincerely your friend,
G. W. GOURLEY.

A meeting of the Republicans of Judge Gourley's home county, Lee, held a mass meeting and endorsed his candidacy in very strong resolutions, but too lengthy to publish here.

The Hazard Herald gives some facts about Judge Gourley that are of interest in this connection:

Judge Gourley is, perhaps, best known throughout this section as a lawyer, but he is said to be a splendid parliamentarian as well. At the Beattyville Congressional Convention in 1896 he presided as chairman when Hon. John W. Langley was nominated for Congress from the old Tenth District for the first time. In 1900 he presided at the Appellate District Convention at Louisa when Hon. Ed C. O'Rear was first nominated for Judge of the Court of Appeals. In 1903, at the Railroad Commissioner Convention held at Paris he was chairman when Hon. A. T. Siler was first nominated for Railroad Commissioner, and at the Irvine convention in 1900, when Parson Hopkins was nominated for Congress in the old Tenth he presided as Chairman, and it is said by those who know that in all these conventions he presided efficiently and honestly.

Judge Gourley is an old-time newspaper man, having established the Beattyville Enterprise in 1883, which he run for a number of years.

BECKHAM WILL NOT FIGHT

For Convention Chairmanship, It Is Announced—Harmony Predicted.

Washington, April 15.—Following closely today, the return of Senator Beckham from Kentucky was the authoritative statement that there will be no fight over the chairmanship of the state convention and the reorganization of the Democratic party in Kentucky.

Senator Beckham, it was learned, will not contest the state convention chairmanship with Governor Stanley, but will permit the Governor to have that honor without opposition. Rufus H. Van Sant, Ashland, will not be a candidate for the chairmanship of the state convention, and there will be no effort to prevent the election of Colonel W. B. Haldeman as Kentucky's member of the Democratic National Committee.

There is an unofficial understanding that Kentucky's delegates at large to the Democratic National Convention will be Senator James, Senator Beckham, Governor Stanley and former Governor James B. McCreary.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

SHOULD HAVE KNOWN MULE WOULD KICK.

Frankfort, Ky., April 15.—A verdict of \$500 damages awarded J. M. Pratt, mule driver in the Consolidation Coal company's mine in Letcher-co., for injuries caused by the kick of a mule which he struck with a whip, while stooping behind to pick up a chain, was reversed by the Court of Appeals, which said the "kicking propensity of the mule is a matter of common knowledge," notwithstanding the fact that Pratt had worked on a farm and had never driven anything but oxen.

The court said the mule would have been "untrue" to itself and false to every tradition of its breed if it had kept its heels to the ground and an "employee cannot court danger by inviting a mule to kick him and then recover damages for consequent injuries."

KENTUCKY DESCRIBED

BY IRVIN COBB

A FAMOUS KENTUCKY HUMORIST, NOW OF NEW YORK, WRITES OF HIS STATE.

The American Magazine is running a series of articles on "The Glory of the States," each article written by a prominent resident or non-resident native of the State. In the current issue of the magazine Kentucky is handled in distinctively Cobbesque style by the inimitable Irvin S. Cobb, erstwhile of Paducah and Louisville, but now thriving amazingly under the bright lights of New York. Mr. Cobb says in part:

The State of Kentucky is shaped like a camel lying down. The straw that broke the camel's back was the first time the state went Republican. That was in the nineties, and to the community at large the shock was so profound that several gentlemen of the old school for a time thought seriously of taking their letters out of the church. Since then the same thing has happened so frequently that the sight of a Kentucky Republican holding a state office no longer shakes a conservative belief in the existence of an All-Wise Power; and the camel's back is getting used to the sensation of being broken. It underwent a severe strain no longer ago than last November.

The eastern end of the state is the mountainous or perpendicular end. Here, from the beginning of things, until comparatively recently, resided the congenial feudist and the incurable moonshiner. The latter still exercises his hereditary calling in a cave on a creek up a cove, with a measure of corn to feed his still and a mossy place under a tree for the customer to lie down on afterward; but the gentle bushwhacker has almost vanished. Either he is taking a post-graduate course in chair bottoms at the Penitentiary, or he has been fatally forty-foured and now sleeps in the family burying ground on the slant of the Cumberland hills, with his still-booted toes sticking up at the lower end of the mound to save cost of foot stones. In his place, that happy child of optimism, the Eastern capitalist, is boring for oil and delving for coal and hacking for hard wood, and meanwhile dreams sweet dreams of eighty per cent dividends.

Somewhat nor' by nor'-east of the geographical center of the commonwealth, about where the camel would wear his fourth stomach, is the Bluegrass country. While in the company of Kentuckians you may have heard the Bluegrass country mentioned. The native son has a little way of speaking of it casually in conversation. You gather that he is not exactly ashamed of having hailed from that particular locality. He may refer to it as God's country. Undeniably, it is. Its conformation is heaven-sent; its politics come from the Other Place. From time to time this district produces a man who would rather be right than President. See published lives of Henry Clay and John C. Breckinridge.

In the western portion of the state is to be found Mammoth Cave, the largest natural office on the continent, with one exception. However, the one out at Lincoln moves about considerably, filling Chautauque dates, whereas Kentucky's cavern is practically stationary, and has been doing business at the same stand ever since the original cave-in occurred. Every year thousands of Easterners who have never found time to look at Niagara Falls go to Kentucky to see the Mammoth Cave, passing on their way many Kentuckians who haven't inspected the cave yet, but feel their education can never be complete until they have gazed upon the beauties of Niagara. This is a double tribute to the compelling eloquence of railroad passenger agents.

Politically, Kentucky of recent years has calmed down somewhat, although our campaigns are yet very far from being the milk-and-water affairs observed elsewhere in the Union. To the true Kentuckian, politics is not a recreation merely. With him it is a calling, a profession, and a lifetime avocation. Hospitality is his religion, but politics is his habit. At this time of writing, the issues of prohibition and woman suffrage engage the voter's mind. Suffrage gains ground steadily, but it has not yet enlisted so strong a following as in certain nearby states. Having for so long regarded woman as his superior, the Kentuckian is reluctant to make her his equal.

And at all times, he swears by the state that gave him birth. After Kentucky, heaven is going to seem a mighty ordinary place to him. Maybe he has strayed afar and is now running for office in some other commonwealth. Maybe he will never go back home again on anything short of a requisition but still his heart is where his state is. Maybe—mind you, I am not quite certain of this point—but maybe he will admit, if you pull the census figures on him, that Kentucky of late years has not increased in population so rapidly as some of her fellow states. But in answer he would bid you consider how much finer a thing it is to be born singly in Kentucky than to be born triplets anywhere else on earth.

Down our way we can never forgive Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe for writing "Uncle Tom's Cabin," not because she painted Southern slavery in such black colors but because she has Eliza crossing the Ohio River to get out of Kentucky. To this day, you hold that Eliza made the mistake of her life.

SEED LAW BRINGS BIG OPPORTUNITY.

Among the various measures enacted into law, at the last session of the General Assembly and recently approved by the Governor, there are none of greater and more permanent value to the agricultural interests of the State than the new pure seed law, which provides for a germination and purity test of all farm seeds offered for sale within the bounds of the Commonwealth, says the Rural Kentuckian.

The passage of this act represents the culmination of consistent and patient efforts on the part of Professor Harrison German extending over many years. The new law not only affords the farmer ample protection against con-

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to make it acceptable. Neither will our shoes when once you see their style and feel the comfort of the perfect fit we insist upon giving our customers.

A man's feet are quite as much a distinguishing mark of careful dressing as is any other detail of his dress. Suggest that your wife drop in and look over the new fashionable models of

Wright & Peters Shoes for Women

The very latest offerings of smart New York fashions. In our big stock we carry shoes for women and children—but only the very latest and best style.

One's Hosiery Must Be Chosen With Care---This Spring

The shortness of the season's modish skirt calls for hosiery with quality that "shows." In our new assortment for spring, the quality is not only unusually good, but the new patterns are the most attractive we have ever shown. In every wanted color or combination, to match the new boots, the new suit or dress, giving a delightful harmony to the new costume.

LADIES ALL SILK HOSE, in all the favored colors at.....\$1.50 and \$2.00 pr.
LADIES' SILK HOSE, in black and all colors at.....\$1.00 pr.
LADIES' NOVELTY HOSE, in fancy stripes and checks, lace clockings and lace stripes, all favored colors.....\$1.00 and \$1.50 pr.
NIAGARA MAID HOSE, in plain and fancy stripes, in black, white and ivory.....\$1.50 pr.
LADIES' SILK BOOT HOSE, full fashioned, black and white.....50c pr.
LADIES' SILK BOOT HOSE, in black and all leading colors.....50c pr.

LADIES' SILK FIBRE HOSE, in black and white at.....35c, 39c, 50c, pr.
LADIES' LISLE HOSE, in black and white.....25c, 35c, 50c pr.
MEN'S PURE THREAD SILK HOSE, in black and white.....50c and \$1.00
MEN'S FIBRE SILK HOSE.....25c pr.
MEN'S RIBBED SILK HOSE, in black and white.....30c pr.
MISSES' LISLE HOSE, black, white, tan, pink, blue and red.....25c pr.

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minated and worthless seeds, but it also affords the proper protection and encouragement to those engaged in the production of high grade farm seeds.

Chance To Lead The World.

In the production of such seeds as bluegrass seed, hemp seed, sweet clover seed and the seed of white burley tobacco, there is opportunity for Kentucky to lead the world. Even under present conditions, the production of bluegrass seed is a rapidly growing branch of our agriculture. During poor seasons no less than three hundred thousand bushels of this seed are produced annually in Central Kentucky and during a good season this crop at present amounts to something over a million bushels, the retail price of which is now \$1.40 per bushel.

The new law will afford increased opportunity for the study of the production and handling of this important crop so as to secure the greatest degree of germination and viability, all of which will contribute to the good reputation of a valuable Kentucky product and will tend to put the production of bluegrass seed upon a high plane of honesty and excellence.

Station Can Render Big Service.

Even under the old seed law, a number of reputable seedsmen have come gradually to repose the utmost confidence in the findings of the Experiment Station and have come to rely largely for the satisfactory conduct of their business upon tests carried out in Professor Garman's laboratory. It is needless to say that under the new law, based as it is upon the combined experience of a large number of our most reputable seed analysts, the opportunity for effective service to farmers and to seedsmen will be greatly increased.

M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday school 9:00 a. m.
Preaching 10:30 a. m. Subject, Resurrection. Math. 28:6.
Preaching 7:15 p. m. Subject, Soul Resurrection. Ezek. 37:13-14.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:15 p. m.

Ladies Aid will meet at Mrs. J. A. Abbott's Thursday 1:30 p. m.
Choir practice Friday 7:15 p. m.
We extend a cordial invitation to all to attend these services.

N. H. YOUNG, Pastor.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Jesse H. Adams, age 42, to Rosa Cordie, 21.
Frank Hammock, 23, of Portsmouth, to Pearlley Copley, 20, married in Clerk's office.

Lias Kise, 39, to Lula Moore, 19.
Andrew J. Cordie, 23, to Blanch Gartin, 17, married in the office.

W. M. Rowe, 21, to Laura Vipperman. Married in the office. Both of Fort Gay, W. Va.

STILL ON THE INCREASE.

Bad weather conditions last week caused a general shut down throughout the field, and thus delayed the completion of several wells for a few days which should have been in the first of the week, hence but few completions are reported so far this week but a number of others are due to reach the pay before the end of the week. The pipe line runs were very gratifying for the past week, being something over 7300 barrels, or a daily average of more than 1000 barrels, also, the market price remains the same \$1.95.—Estill Tribune.

VINSON INDORSED.

At Wayne a county mass convention of Republicans, called for the purpose of selecting delegates to a congressional and a state delegate convention

AVOID MISTAKES

NO NEED FOR LOUISA PEOPLE TO EXPERIMENT WITH SUCH CONVINCING EVIDENCE AT HAND.

There are many well-advertised kidney remedies on the market today, but none so well-recommended in this vicinity as Doan's Kidney Pills. Read the statement of a resident of Cliff.

Mrs. E. C. Speers, Cliff, Ky., says: "I suffered from kidney and bladder trouble for years. My feet, ankles and hands were swollen. I also had a steady ache across my back and hips and the kidney secretions were unnatural. Doan's Kidney Pills greatly benefited me."

FOUR YEARS LATER, Mrs. Speers said: "Doan's Kidney Pills are a fine medicine and I am glad to again recommend them."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Speers has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

for the purpose of selecting delegates to the National convention, endorsed Hon. Z. T. Vinson, of Huntington, as a candidate for delegate-at-large.

A HIGH TRIBUTE TO MRS. WELLMAN.

Mrs. Guff Wellman, who spent the winter in Cincinnati, expects to go to Washington tomorrow to attend the meeting of the D. A. R. Mrs. Wellman will represent Covington Chapter, she having been unanimously elected by the members of the Chapter as Regent, vice Regent Mrs. Helen M. McClain, who was unable to attend the meeting. Mrs. Wellman's selection is indeed quite an honor, as she was chosen over the resident members of the Chapter.

IN REGARD TO CANCERS.

I have been treating cancers for 7 or 8 years. For two years have treated an average of two cases per month, and have cured all of them except one man and he had a cancer in his mouth. So you see I have had wonderful success.

H. HUFF

R. F. Port Gay, Box 87.
Following are some testimonials:
Fort Gay, W. Va., Feb. 8, 1916.
I was treated for Cancer 40 days by one of the best doctors in the country and got no relief, then I tried doctoring with H. Huff. He took my cancer out and I was well in 30 days. That was Oct. 1914. He has cured 6 others I know, besides others I heard of and he will cure you if you have cancer. Give him a trial.

Yours respectfully,

I. M. LESTER.
Huntington, W. Va., Sept. 1, 1915.
To whom it may concern, and it should concern every person that has a cancer: I speak from experience no person need fear to have Mr. H. Huff, of Fort Gay, W. Va., treat their cancer. I had a rose cancer on my temple about 6 in. circumference. Ray all over the surface, the edges rolled over to my cheek. Mr. Huff treated it last April and I am happy to say it is all gone, cured sound and well. He has the remedy and knows how to use it. I am now 73 years old. I would advise all persons having cancer or symptom of cancer to have it treated at once. It is easier cured and saves a great deal of suffering and the danger of its being absorbed in the blood. ap6-1mo.
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WEST VIRGINIA
ITEMS OF NEWS.

A. BLAINE YORK

Candidate for Prosecuting Attorney—
Well Qualified for Position.

One of the important political announcements of the local campaign is that of Attorney A. Blaine York, which appears elsewhere in this issue. Mr. York aspires to the nomination for prosecuting attorney of the county and prior to his decision to make the race there was an insistent demand for his candidacy. This demand grew to considerable proportions after the opening of the April term of the Circuit Court, he being urged to run by prominent party men from all sections of the county.

Mr. York is one of the most brilliant and able attorneys at the local bar. During the past several years he has attracted much favorable attention because of his masterly conduct of important criminal cases, showing marked ability both as counsel for the accused and while representing the state. He is by training and experience eminently fitted for the prosecutorial office.

Coming to Mingo county in 1912 Mr. York was associated with Judge James Damron until the latter went on the bench. He was born and reared in our sister county of Wayne, being the son of Ex-Senator John Y. York for many years one of the staunch Republican leaders of this section of the state.

Mr. York was educated at Marshall College, the West Virginia University, George Washington University and the National University, Washington, D. C., graduating from the latter in 1905. For ten years he was connected with the Department of Commerce and Labor and the Department of the Interior, five years of which time was spent in auditing for statistical purposes the public accounts of counties and cities.

After graduating in law Mr. York was for two years engaged with the general land office in handling public land matters, all of this work being excellent training for the duties of the office he seeks. In 1910 Mr. York was elected state's attorney for Butte county, South Dakota, a place he filled with distinction. He held this position until he came to Williamson.

In January, 1913 he formed a partnership for the practice of law with Attorney Hubert Quisenberry, a firm that has been very successful and is one of the best known in the county. He is now serving as one of the commissioners in chancery of Judge Damron's court.

Mr. York enjoys a wide acquaintance throughout the county and has a host of warm friends and admirers. He is clean and able, a brilliant orator and if nominated will be a strong man on the ticket. The Republican bespeaks for his candidacy the consideration it serves at the hands of the voters, believing no mistake will be made in thus honoring him.—Mingo Republican.

Elkins, W. Va., April 17.—Shirley Phillips, aged 16, of Harding, W. Va., was instantly killed last Sunday when struck by a ball pitched by J. E. Slaughter, of Weaver, in a baseball game between rival teams from the two towns. A coroner's jury later exonerated Slaughter.

Herbert Anderson, sixteen years old, son of Town Sergeant S. V. Anderson, of Barboursville, was killed Sunday when he fell beneath the wheels of a Guyandotte Valley passenger train. The account of the affair received here was to the effect that the lad got on the train at the Main-st. station, thinking it would stop or slow down at the Central-av. station. It did neither, and he jumped, in doing so fell beneath the wheels. His body was cut completely in two.

The body was brought to the Johnston Undertaking establishment to be prepared for burial.—Herald-Dispatch.

IN MEMORY.

Friday, March 24, 1916, as the clock tolled the hour of four, Charles David Clark, third son of David H. and Amanda D. Clark, died peacefully at the Kanawha Valley Hospital, Charleston, W. Va., with pneumonia. He had been in bad health all winter, yet his death was a shock to his many friends and relatives. He served four years at No. 1, at the first gun, under Lieutenant Ansell and General Stonewall Jackson, having received one slight wound on the little finger of the left hand for which he did not leave his post of duty. At the close of the war he engaged in farming on the James river, near Scottsville, Va., for several years. He was married to Miss Emma M. Childress, January 8, 1867. To this union twelve children were born. His wife, four infant daughters and two sons preceded him to the great beyond. His sons were Harry M. Clark, of Mammoth, W. Va., who died January 17, 1908 and Edward F. Clark, of Louisa, Ky., who died January 17, 1914. He leaves to mourn his loss two sons, William D., of Carbondale, W. Va., and Charles A., of Coalina, Cal., four daughters, Mrs. Ella Wilson, Putney, Va.; Mrs. Lillie Matheny, Mammoth, W. Va.; Mrs. Helen Kuykendall, Charleston, W. Va.; and Mrs. Ida Bates, New Richmond, O. One sister, Mrs. Mollie Childress, Esmont, Va., and ten grandchildren.

For a number of years preceding his death he was engaged in railroad construction work in West Virginia, but for several years he had made his home with his children, spending the greater part of his time with Mrs. Ella Wilson, Putney, W. Va. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of which he remained a consistent member till he joined the church triumphant. He often said, "he had done all he could and was only waiting for the summons 'come home'."

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kuykendall, of Charleston, W. Va., accompanied by remains to Virginia. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. L. L. Banks, of the Mt. Zion M. E. Church, South of which he was a member until he came to West Virginia. His favorite hymn, "Oh, Think of the Home over there," was sung during the services. He was laid to rest by the side of his wife and five children in the old home churchyard, Mt. Zion, Albemarle-co., Va., Sunday afternoon, March 26, 1916, among a host of friends and relatives. Capt.

J. L. Pitts was one of his pall bearers. He was loved by all who knew him and will be greatly missed by all.

Weep not as those who have no hope, for he is now basking in the sunlight of Jesus' love.

May God comfort the deeply bereaved ones and have them in His holy care and keeping.

I know it seems vain when friends depart,
To breath kind words to the broken heart,
I know that the joys seem marred,
When we follow our friends to the old churchyard.

S. F. C.

MT. PLEASANT.

Rev. M. A. Hay of Louisa will preach an Easter sermon at this place the fourth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Alley attended church at Horseford Sunday.

Mrs. W. B. Post and daughter and son visited Mrs. Kane at Fallsburg Wednesday.

Mrs. B. B. Reynolds stepped on a rusty nail Friday and is unable to walk. Alex Frazier has gone to New Richmond, O., to work.

Henry Carter is all smiles. The cause a new visitor at his home and her name is Lilly May.

Davy Compton of Greenbrier was calling on Vivian Reynolds Sunday.

Beulah Post visited the K. N. C. Friday.

Mrs. C. E. Harris is visiting relatives at Cannonsburg, Ky., and Huntington, West Va.

Mrs. Young has moved from Louisa to Mr. Lackey's house formerly occupied by B. B. Reynolds and Wm. Fisher to the Merida Layne place.

Two new magazines and several hundred quarts of nitroglycerine have been placed where the explosion occurred which killed Mr. Fouty.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Diamond and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Post and children.

Miss Eliza Ransom, who is attending the Callahan school at Louisa, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Several from this place are preparing to attend the entertainment at Fallsburg Saturday night.

Bertha and Clarence Carter of Deep Hole spent Sunday with their brother Henry Carter of this place.

Mrs. Fred Frazier was calling on Mrs. Charles Frazier Sunday.

C. E. Harris attended prayer meeting Friday night.

Miss Gypsy Reynolds is staying with her grandparents at Louisa.

Miss Mayne Frazier was calling on Mrs. Henry Carter Sunday.

C. E. Harris and brother-in-law, Luther Robinette made a business trip to Louisa Saturday.

Mrs. John Beagle and daughter Ethel May of Fort Gay, W. Va., spent Friday night with Mrs. B. B. Reynolds.

John Post attended Sunday school at Huletts Branch Sunday evening.

Remember the prayer meeting every Friday night. DUSKY ROSE.

LITTLE BLAINE.

The farmers of our community are very busy.

The pie social at Dry Ridge was largely attended Saturday night.

Martella and Pearl Shannon of Pleasant Ridge were visiting here Saturday and Sunday.

Laura Belle Damron is expected home soon from Pike-co., where she is paying her grandparents a visit.

Marie Burchett of Georges creek spent the past week with the Carter girls of this place.

Nora Roberts has returned home from Fallsburg.

Dock Carter and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gussler.

Charlie Shannon of Fallsburg was visiting at G. G. Roberts' Saturday and Sunday.

Laura Belle Carter has returned home from a visit at Georges creek.

Mrs. G. G. Roberts spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Wm. Shannon.

Kire Carter was visiting Marie Burchett Sunday.

Dick Adams of Busseyville was here Saturday night and Sunday.

Lee Damron made a business trip to Louisa Saturday.

Forrest Damron and Sam Doe Heablen were calling on Martella and Pearl Shannon Sunday.

Oscar Roberts is expected home soon from London, O.

Myrtle Carter is visiting her sister at Ethel and Violet Roberts were visiting at L. J. Carter's Sunday.

Everett Roberts attended Sunday school at Dry Ridge Sunday.

Mrs. Marion Carter was visiting at Milt Burchett's Sunday.

Sunday school is progressing nicely at Pleasant Ridge. BLUE BELL.

HUBBARDSTOWN, W. VA.

Rev. Albert Miller preached at this place Sunday.

Claud Fairchild, of this place has moved his family to Van Lear, Ky.

Taylor Ratliff visited Willie Davis Sunday evening.

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Will Neal, who has been in Ohio for some time, has returned home.

Elba Johnson and Wallace Kirk of Prichard, returned home from Maysville, and were calling on Misses Ida and Ruby Neal Sunday.

Harve Dean Huxter of this place shipped about 60 bushel of potatoes to market this week.

EAST POINT.

The home of H. B. Richmond at the head of Johns creek was destroyed by fire a few nights ago. Household goods saved, but no insurance.

The bridge which is being constructed by J. S. Kelly and Eugene Davis across the mouth of Johns creek is nearing completion.

Dr. W. L. Hatcher, who has been very sick is able to be out again.

Misses Malta and Ella Reed have been visiting their aunt in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Grant Music and family have returned to Big Sandy from Lepanto, Ark., where they have been living several years. Mr. Music will probably return to Arkansas while his family will remain here for the summer. He reports that all Big Sandians in Arkansas are doing well.

Mrs. Maggie Howell of Little Point was visiting her mother, Mrs. Nancy Webb in Blockhouse Bottom Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Martin Musie has returned from Catlettsburg where she has been undergoing treatment for her eyes. We are glad to say that she is much improved.

John, to Albert Hunt and wife, a boy.

Mrs. Annie Lee Hart of Maribon, has been visiting home folks.

The farmers of our neighborhood are very busy this seasonable weather.

Dunnagan and McClure, ministers of the church of God are here and will begin a protracted meeting which will be likely to extend over Easter.

Mrs. J. C. B. Auxier is on the sick list.

Miss May Leslie and little Miss Mary Luck were visiting at their uncle Polk Auxier's one day last week.

Miss Leslie has just closed a term of school at Flat Gap and is visiting relatives in Kentucky before going to her new home in Va., but she will return and teach again at Flat Gap this fall.

Misses Edna Conley and Ruth Leslie were the pleasant guests of Misses Agnes and Annie Auxier Wednesday night.

Misses May and Ruth Leslie left here Thursday morning for a two weeks visit with their sister, Mrs. June Scott in Pike county after which they will go immediately to Burkeville, Va., where their father, R. A. E. Leslie has purchased a nice country home. Why don't we hear from Mr. Leslie through the columns of the NEWS concerning "ole Virginia." We think it would make interesting reading and surely he is still a reader of the NEWS as all Big Sandians should be.

Wyonda Auxier has returned home from the C. and O. hospital, Huntington, where he has been since the first of last December. Mr. Auxier is very little improved and still suffering from the effects of the wounds received at that time. SENG.

BUSSEYVILLE.

There will be church the 4th Saturday night and Sunday by Rev. Hill.

Mrs. Johnnie Hays and little son are visiting relatives at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmons Ball were visiting Miss Willie Belle Roberts last week.

Little Ray Wellman is visiting his grandparents on Rich creek.

Miss Emma Meek is visiting relatives at Huntington, W. Va.

Miss Nancy Hays spent last week with her sisters, Mrs. Florence Wellman and Miss Thursa Hays.

Mrs. Eric McComas and little son who have been visiting relatives at this place have returned to Huntington, W. Va.

Little Dorothy Davis is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel Bradley.

Pansy Meek is visiting her aunt in Williamson, W. Va.

Lindsey and Allen Hays were calling on their sister, Mrs. M. B. Wellman last week.

Mrs. Inez Johnson is visiting relatives at this place.

Mrs. John Hays and little daughter Nora spent Thursday evening with Mrs. F. M. Meek and daughter.

Ben Pigg was at T. H. Bowe's Thursday evening.

Mrs. and Mrs. Lindsey Hays spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Millard Wellman.

Miss Willie Belle Roberts spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends on Dry Ridge.

Misses Egie and Edith Bowe spent Sunday with Misses Brilla and Gladys Meek.

Sterling Gussley of Louisa was calling on M. B. Wellman Sunday.

Miss Thursa Hays spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents at Evergreen.

D. C. Hughes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bowe.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Prater spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Meek.

Miss Lillie Roberts spent Saturday night with Miss Pearl Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Muncy and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Meek.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Picklesimer passed through here Sunday.

Al Hays and Jay Chaffin were at Millard Wellman's Sunday.

Mrs. Terrel Bradley was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter Davis Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meek and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Meek Sunday.

David Bradley was calling on Tom Bowe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Cheek were in Busseyville last week.

Virginia Bradley was calling on Florence Wellman Sunday.

Hamilton Terrel was in Busseyville Sunday.

Miss Corda Pigg was visiting Miss Egie Bowe Saturday evening.

Elbert Muncy returned home Tuesday from a few days visit to Williamson friends.

Mr. Smith and little son Elmer were in Busseyville Sunday.

Most all the people around here were attending court last week.

Ben and Everett Pigg were in Busseyville Sunday.

Arnold Bowe attended Sunday school at Smoky Valley Sunday.

Misses Corda and Cora Pigg were calling on Misses Ruby and Gertrude Pigg Friday.

Hubert Pack was at T. H. Bowe's Monday.

E. R. Bussey was in Louisa Sunday.

Archie Pigg was calling at Bud Hall's Sunday night.

Melvin Meek, who has been visiting relatives here returned Sunday to his home in Williamson.

There will be church at the Tabernacle the fifth Sunday by Rev. Hill.

FM THE GUY.

There was church here Sunday last by Rev. W. M. Crabtree and Sam Klees.

Warred, Friday, Wesley Crabtree to Miss Eva Triplett. We extend to the young couple just started on life's journey our very best wishes.

Miss Stella Dalton visited her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Chaffin Monday last.

Misses Golda and Demonia Wilson visited Mrs. Barbara McKinney recently.

Hugh L. Hicks, who has been working in West Va., has returned home.

Mrs. Laura Holbrook is some better at present.

Rhoda Goodman passed up our creek Sunday.

Lizzie Kelly visited her grandmother Mrs. Lucy Hays last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holbrook visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Holbrook Sunday.

Lizzie Kelly and Nannie Hicks attended the baptizing on Cherokee Sunday.

Dewey Chaffin was on our creek Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Hays visited Mrs. Miriam Pinkerton Thursday.

Amelia Hays was shopping at Tuscola Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Holbrook and Amelia Triplett visited Barbara McKinney recently.

Mrs. Hattie Thompson and sons visited her brother Morton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Thompson and little son G. C. Jr., visited her mother Sunday.

Miss Linnie Hillman visited Mrs. Mauda Thompson Wednesday.

Mrs. B. B. Wells and Recie Hammond were shopping at Tuscola one day last week.

Mrs. Nella Webb visited Mrs. Belva and Hattie Thompson Sunday.

Lish Miles called on Joe Holbrook Sunday evening.

Oscar Daniel made his usual trip to Ike Wilson's Sunday.

Church at the Holiness church by Rev. Harvey was largely attended Sunday night.

Mrs. Belva L. Thompson visited Mrs. Mollie Thompson Wednesday.

Lowell Thompson is at Holden, West Va.

The Wilson girls were shopping at Mrs. Graham's Wednesday.

Miss Stella Dalton attended the wedding at Hester Triplett's Friday.

THREE LOVELY GIRLS.

IN MEMORY.

Orpha Roberts, widow of the late Sin Clair Roberts, was born in Pike county, Ky., Jan. 2, 1836, departed this life, Mar. 28, 1916, at the age of 80 years 2 months and 26 days. She joined the Christian church June 29, 1878 and was baptized by Rev. E. K. Lunsford. She was the mother of 8 children, 4 boys and 4 girls, viz: Lizzie, Annie, Martha and Tillie, Willis, John, Charley and Perry. Willis was her oldest son and preceded her to the good world three years, two months and seven days after her husband died. She made her home with Willis and after he died she remained with his widow, Mrs. Martha Roberts of Cadmus, Ky., who was good and kind to her same as if she had been her own mother.

Grandma Roberts, as we called her was always kind and had a good word for everybody and wanted to lend a helping hand to the sick and distressed. Just before she died she called her friends and relatives around her bed and bid them goodbye. She had her window raised and set her eyes toward the East. She put her arm around her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Martha Roberts' neck and laid asleep in Jesus. All was done for her that kind hearts and tender hands could do but could not stay the hand of death. Her funeral was preached by Rev. H. B. Hewlett and the I. O. O. F. order took the remains followed by a large crowd of sorrowing friends and laid it under the sod of a mountain beside her son Willis amid nature's magnificence where dust shall be resolved. A. H.

BORDERLAND.

Mrs. Tavia Savage is visiting her daughter Mrs. Lillie Wellman at Borderland, Va.

Rev. Ward preached an interesting sermon at Borderland No. 2, Sunday night.

Mrs. Lillie Wellman of Borderland was in Nolan Saturday.

Miss Verna Caudill is visiting Miss Pearl Duncan on Big creek.

Mrs. Ella Compton of this place was visiting relatives at Chattahoo Sunday.

Virgil Boosten and Miss Rose Caudill and Kern Caudill and Miss Alvie Compton were at Chattahoo Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Justice of this place was visiting her sister at Chattahoo, W. Pa., Monday.

Miss Jettie Childress visited Miss Rose Caudill one day last week.

Mrs. Jessie Pinson visited Mrs. Vencie Venter one day last week.

Robert Luke of Borderland is going to his home in Virginia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elie Farley and two little daughters of Borderland visited Mr. and Mrs. Everett Jones of Borderland No. 2, Sunday.

JUNIOR.

LEDGOCIO.

Farmers are all very busy plowing and planting corn and potatoes.

Schmil, the little son of Dr. and Mrs. I. O. Moore is very sick.

Misses Vata and Erie Miller have returned home from a visit to friends at Lick creek.

Ballard Castle of Georges creek, was the guest of E. G. McKimber and family Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Moore, who has been very sick is better now.

Ray McKimber, who has been employed at Portsmouth, O., has returned home.

Willie Borders is very low with typhoid fever.

Mary, little daughter of W. T. Moore, who has been very low is now improving fast.

Miss Beulah Miller and brother were visiting friends at Adams Saturday.

Lyss Thompson, Willie Estep, L. B. and Jno. Hays attended the pie social at Dry Ridge Saturday.

Lyss Kise of Meads Branch will farm with W. M. Moore this summer.

Beulah and Elva Miller were shopping at Norris Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Estep are happy over the arrival of a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hays were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Oscar Short of Martins Sunday.

W. M. Thompson of Torchlight was a visitor here Saturday.

Mit McKimber was in Louisa Saturday.

There will be a baptizing at Matile the second Sunday in May by Bro. Booth.

H. B. Thompson of Nora was a business visitor on our creek Thursday.

Miss Martha Moore of Mattis was visiting friends here Tuesday.

LUKE M'LUKE SAYS:

Many a girl who thinks that she is cultivating her voice is merely cultivating her imagination. It is pretty tough to love Beer and have Rheumatism. But it is tougher to love Onions and be Engaged. Some inventors do not receive their reward until long after they are dead. But the man who invented Kissing got his reward while he was here. Pick up almost any paper and you will find an advertisement of a Guaranteed Cure for almost every ailment with which mankind is afflicted. But the fool Undertakers keep right on buying hearses and coffins just the same.

Go, how time does fly! Doesn't it make you feel old to see men who have William McKinley as their first names applying for marriage licenses?

Every now and then you will see a man who received four times his share of Nose and only one-fourth his share of Chin.

When they are Engaged he likes to have her go through his pockets and ask cute little questions about the articles she finds in them. But it is SO DIFFERENT when they are Married. It takes a man a long time to discover that they can make it faster than he can drink it.

Once in a while you will meet a man who can't stand up for a minute without unconsciously hoisting his foot and trying to rest it on an imaginary foot rail.

The old-fashioned man who used to start his dinner with an Appetite now has a son who starts it with an Appetizer. Cincinnati Enquirer.

TUSCULOA.

A large number of our citizens are spending court this week. Some have a mess and some out of idle curiosity. A. Jordan had the misfortune to see a fine young cow Saturday night. Kinner Dean went to Bellshire Sunday as usual.

Hugh Combs of West Va., is visiting his brother here and will hold a series of meetings while he is here. He is a very fluent and forceful speaker and can interest his congregation.

Rev. James Harvey preached a very interesting sermon here Sunday. Sunday school was organized here Sunday with Isaac Cunningham, Supt. and Miss Hazel Graham, Secy. Charley Rice has his large new ground ready to burn.

A large acreage of oats has been sown and our farmers are now preparing their corn land.

Shirley and Jennings Webb were the pleasant guests of Madge Ray, Marie and Luther Cunningham Sunday.

Olivette Lodge 343 I. O. O. F. requests its members to attend Sunday school and church services at Green Valley May 7th.

OLD LEM JUCKLENS.

Farmers are very busy in our community. Services were held here April 8-9, by Bros. Reid, Rowe and Peters, of Fort Gas, W. Va. They held a two weeks revival here in March and much good was done.

They will preach each second Sunday and Mrs. L. M. Copley of Louisa the first Sunday.

We appreciate the interest these good men have in our community and trust they will continue to labor here.

Mrs. Charley Haws was shopping in Louisa last week.

Miss Jessie Peters is visiting her sister at Gallup this week.

Miss Golda Stansbury, who recently recovered from a serious case of typhoid fever is visiting her sister in West Va.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely with W. W. See, Supt. Prayer meeting each Saturday night here.

Mrs. W. M. Mahaney, nee Miss Nannie Brooks, of Holden, W. Va., Miss Marie See, of Wayne, W. Va., and Miss Kizzie See, of Jenkins, are expected home to spend Easter.

Miss Ethel See of Van Lear, spent Sunday with home folks.

Fred See left recently for Logan, W. Va., where he has employment.

Glenn Ferrell has employment at Sciotoville, O. A. C. Ferrell of Sciotoville visited home recently.

Measles has been plentiful in our community. Several cases have been severe. A READER.

YATESVILLE.

Farmers are very busily engaged gardening and preparing for corn planting.

According to the present condition of our roads no automobiles will pass our way for several weeks yet.

Well No. 3 on the land of Tom Burdett has been drilled in and shot and averages up with the several other wells of the Deep Hole section. Also, well No. 5 on the land of William Savage has been drilled in and will be shot some time during the present week and the oil showing is good.

The two year old child of Mr. and Mrs. James Bradley, who was so severely burned some days ago is slowly convalescing.

Died, on the 6th inst. an infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Carter.

The court goes have been thick on the road for several days past.

Drummers Chaffin, Moore and Raybeyson were here during the past week. William and Dunlap Bradley of Kenova were visiting relatives in this section last week.

Miss Hattie Carter was shopping in Ashland a day or so of last week. CUNTRY GREENHERNO.

MEADS BRANCH.

Mont Johnson of Ethel, W. Va., is visiting his mother, Lucinda Johnson. Margarette Stewart and Thelma Austin attended the burial of Cleave Hays' wife Tuesday.

Dimple Austin, who is attending the K. N. C. at Louisa, is visiting home folks this week.

Nell Stewart was calling on friends at Louisa and Ft. Gay last week.

Myrtle Stewart and Emma Johnson were the guests of Mont Johnson Wednesday.

Aunt Betsy Castle is no better at this writing.

Mrs. Green Castle and Mrs. Toll Judd were visiting Mrs. C. B. Austin Monday.

Farris Moore was visiting his brother Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, who is visiting her daughter at Russell, is expected home soon. OLD MAN GRUMP.

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SUN BROTHERS' CIRCUS AT LOUISA MAY 5TH.

Possibly no better show will appear here, than the Great Sun Brothers' World's Progressive Aggregation, which is scheduled to exhibit at Louisa, Friday, May 5th.

The traveling tented show is today America's most popular form of outdoor amusement and it is a perennial favorite with all classes of people. The Sun Brothers' Show for this season is a great, big, first class exhibition, with some stunning new features, fine horses, strange animals and a host of foreign and American novelty displays.

Two complete performances will be offered here, afternoon and night. The usual free out-door exhibitions will be given at noon-time, on the show grounds, and are free to the public.

PROGRAMME.

Programme of anniversary service to be held by Big Sandy Lodge, I. O. O. F. No. 318, celebrating the 97th anniversary of the founding of the order to be held at Buchanan, Ky., on Wednesday, April 26, 1916.

12:30 P. M.—Meet at Hall.
12:45 P. M.—March to Buchanan.
1:00 P. M.—March back to Hall.
1:10 P. M.—Song by choir led by Prof. Rice.

1:20 P. M.—Devotional.
1:30 P. M.—Song by choir.
1:40 P. M.—Statistics of order by F. H. Lambert.

1:50 P. M.—Song by choir.
2:00 P. M.—Sermon by Rev. Dawson. Song by choir. Dismissal.

All Odd Fellows and Rebekahs cordially invited to attend.

JACK BRYAN,
L. E. BENNETT,
F. H. LAMBERT,
Committee.



You May Talk to One Man

But an advertisement in this paper talks to the whole community.

Catch the Idea?

MAY 7TH IS "GO-TO-SUNDAY-SCHOOL" DAY

Much Enthusiasm Has Been Created By This Annual State Event

SEEK ATTENDANCE OF MILLION

Kentucky Association Has Prepared Program to Be Furnished to Sunday-Schools Upon Application—Movement Accomplishes Much Good Since Origin.

Go-to-Sunday-School Day has become an annual affair in the state of Kentucky. The first one was held in 1914, when a great enthusiasm was aroused among the Sunday Schools of Kentucky. In every part of the state invitations were sent out to all the people, organizations were formed, and a new interest in the Sunday Schools was awakened. The attendance upon the Sunday Schools on this day was increased from three hundred thousand to six hundred thousand. Last year the goal set was one million; and so complete was the organization in the different counties and towns, the number was reached. The special direction of the day has been given to the Kentucky Sunday-School Association, which is a state-wide interdenominational organization.

This Association has prepared the following program for the day, and will send sufficient copies free to any Sunday School making application for them to the Kentucky Sunday School Association, 712 Louisville Trust building, Louisville, Ky.

ORDER OF WORSHIP AND INSTRUCTION.

May 7, 1916.

1.—Music.—Strains of sacred music played softly, at the sound of which all will be silent.

2.—Call to Worship.—Superintendent.—Give unto the Lord the glory due unto His name; bring an offering and come before Him; worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

School.—I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the Lord. Unto the Lord I lift up mine eyes. O Thou that dwellest in the heavens.

3.—Prayer.—4.—Hymn.—"All hail the power of Jesus' name."

5.—Responsive Reading from the Scripture. Leader.—"Brethren, my heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is, that they might be saved."

School.—"Christ is the end of the law for righteousness to every one that believeth."

Leader.—The word is nigh thee, even in thy mouth, and in thy heart, that is the word of faith, which we preach.

School.—"That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved."

Leader.—"For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation."

School.—"For the scripture saith, Who soever believeth on Him shall not be ashamed."

Leader.—For there is no difference between the Jew and the Greek; for the same Lord over all is nigh unto all that call upon Him. For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved."

School.—"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

6.—Hymn.—"Love divine, all love excell'g."

7.—Responsive Reading. Leader.—On Kentucky Sunday, one million people in Kentucky attended Sunday School. This year the Sunday Schools of the state are trying to equal that record and to do this they are hoping that one million citizens of our state will have formed the habit of regular Sunday School attendance.

School.—Did any permanent good result from Go-to-Sunday-School Day last year?

Leader.—Sunday School officers reported an increase of more than fifty thousand regular attendants as a direct result of that day. Many of these have become church members. In some schools that day marked the beginning of a steady growth in membership.

School.—Is Kentucky the only state where Go-to-Sunday-School Day is observed?

Leader.—The first state-wide Go-to-Sunday-School Day was observed in Kentucky with such splendid results that the attention of the whole country was attracted, and since that time many other states have inaugurated such a movement, and many more are planning to have their first Go-to-Sunday-School Day in 1916.

School.—How is it possible to secure the co-operation of all the Sunday Schools of this great state in this movement?

Leader.—Because the Sunday School workers of Kentucky have formed a state-wide organization, the Kentucky Sunday School Association, which is interdenominational, reaching and helping all fields, and reinforcing the work of all the denominations.

School.—How are the affairs of the Kentucky Sunday School Association managed?

Leader.—By an Executive Committee composed of forty members elected by the State Convention to which every Sunday School in the state must send voting delegates. This committee is composed of representatives from the following churches: Baptist, Christian, Episcopal, Methodist, Lutheran, Methodist, Reformed, and Presbyterian.

School.—Is this work needed in Kentucky?

Leader.—It is, for in our state for every one who goes to Sunday School there are four who stay away.

Teachers.—Because there are no trained teachers in the state there are no trained teachers in the Sunday Schools, and yet most of the teaching of the Bible must be done in those schools because there are so few churches where there are regular preaching services.

Women.—Because there are fourteen counties in Kentucky where there is no cradle roll; and less than one-third of the Sunday Schools of the state have cradle rolls.

Men.—Because there are still in Kentucky twenty-one counties where there are no Organized Adult Bible Classes, and twenty-one counties without Home Departments.

School.—Because there are forty counties in Kentucky in which there is no Organized Class for Teen Age Pupils, and there are thousands of these classes that should be having the benefit of class organization.

Leader.—These facts and other similar ones indicate the need of conventions, institutes, conferences, surveys, personal visits and other means of presenting standards and stimulating interest in Sunday School work.

School.—What is the Kentucky Sunday School Association doing to meet these needs?

Leader.—It employs four workers for full time, holds about 400 district and county conventions each year, conducts about 25 institutes, visits about two thousand Sunday Schools each year to give some direct help, distributes leaflets on the best methods of Sunday School work, sends out many thousands of letters and circulars, responds to every

appeal from any Sunday School in the state.

School.—How much does this work cost?

Leader.—During 1915 the total expense was \$9,200.00.

School.—How is this money secured?

Leader.—From offerings of the Sunday Schools and gifts of individuals. On Go-to-Sunday-School Day each school is asked to make an offering to this work.

School.—How is it possible for any organization to do so much work at so small an expense?

Leader.—By the help of many hundred volunteer officers in counties and districts, and by the most careful management of the affairs of the Association.

School.—Let our schools do its share in this work for "A Greater and a Better Kentucky," strengthening the work of our own school and extending interest and help to all parts of the state.

8.—Hymn.—"Tell me the old, old story."

9.—Lesson Tought.

10.—Reports.—Announcements.

11.—One verse of "My faith looks up to Thee."

12.—Benediction.

The next State Convention will be held in Somerset, October 5, 6, 7, 8, 1916. Every Sunday School in the State is entitled to send delegates to this Convention, and will gain by doing so.

THE STORY OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL DOLLAR.

The result of the Go-to-Sunday-School Day has been manifest in a large increase in permanent membership of Sunday School and Church. As a direct result of the movement last year fifty thousand visitors became Sunday School members. Here are three typical cases:

An Old Soldier.

On "Go-to-Sunday-School Day" in one of our Sunday Schools an old man said, "I am over seventy years old. It has been forty years since I was in a Church. The man who is now Governor of Kentucky was my Colonel during the war. I always obeyed every order he issued. When my old Colonel issued the order that everybody must come to Sunday School today, I had to obey. Now I am here, what are you going to do with me?" A Men's Bible Class was ready for him. Three weeks later he became a member of the Church and has lived a consistent Christian life ever since.

A Young Man.

At another Sunday School, a young man, who had been going with a wild set, was among the visitors on "Go-to-Sunday-School Day." He became a regular member of the Young Men's Bible Class. Soon after he declined an invitation to go on a Sunday excursion where he knew there would be drinking and gambling, saying, "No, boys, no more of that for me. I have something so much better."

A Junior Boy.

For more than a year none of the family had attended Church or Sunday School. On "Go-to-Sunday-School Day" the children were permitted to go and from that day became regular members. In a few weeks the twelve-year-old boy united with the Church. The mother then sent to the old Church home for her letter. And now the father, too, often sits with them at the Church service.

The Kentucky Sunday School Association has been busy in many fields of service. A few of its activities are listed below:

1 Go-to-Sunday-School Day, bringing 600,000 visitors to Kentucky Sunday Schools.

1 State Convention, bringing together representatives from 63 counties.

1 School of Methods for the training of Association officers.

1 City Training School, giving a twenty-weeks' course to representatives of forty-nine Sunday Schools.

1 Mountain tour by an international worker.

2 Older Boys' and Girls' Conferences.

20 Institutes.

74 County Conventions for the workers of more than three thousand Sunday Schools.

104 Counties visited by a state worker, each visit bringing direct help to from one to one hundred Sunday Schools.

200 Special rallies.

300 District conventions with practical, helpful programs.

40,000 Copies of the Kentucky Sunday School Reporter distributed.

98,000 Circulars of information distributed.

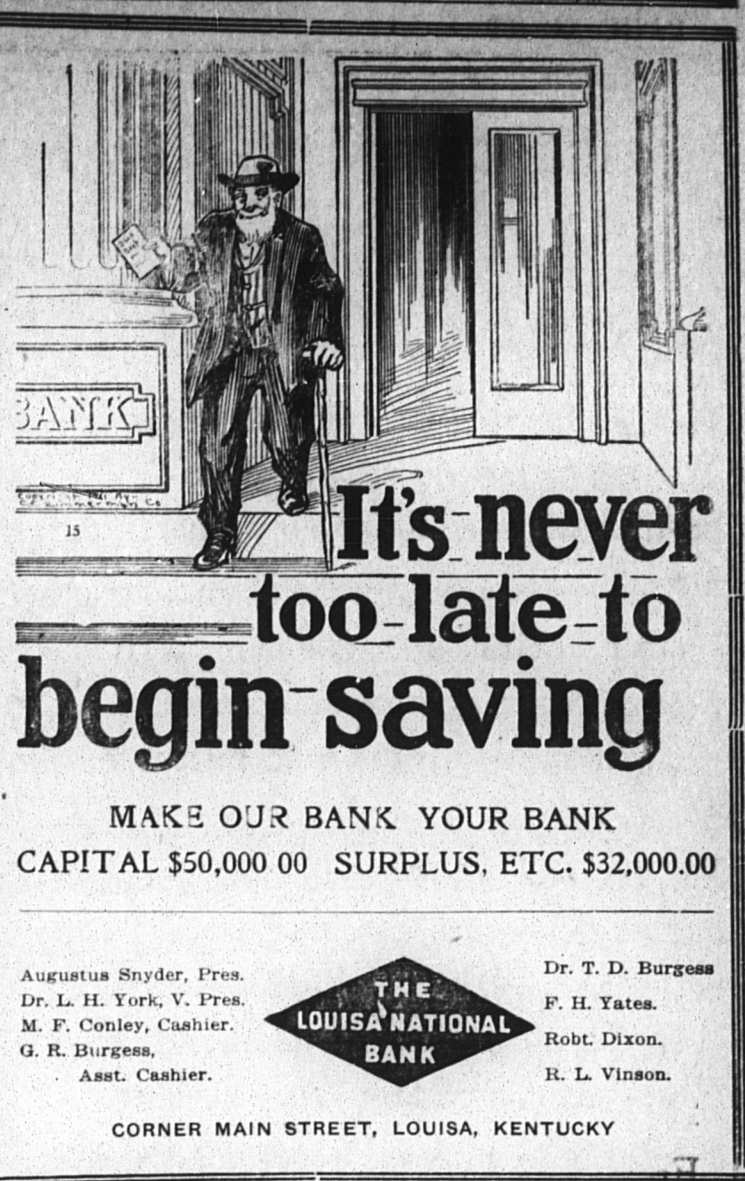
11,000 Personal letters.

With this record back of it and even larger things planned for this year, the Kentucky Sunday School Association, 712 Louisville Trust building, Louisville, Ky., asks for the hearty co-operation of all people desirous of making a greater and better Kentucky in its work for the best organization, equipment and teaching in all the Sunday Schools of the state. You cannot make a better investment than by making a contribution to this Association. Do it now.

To secure one million people in the Sunday Schools of Kentucky on May 7th, will mean that every member of the Sunday Schools must be present that day and bring somebody else. If you attended last year as a visitor, you will want to go again this year. If you haven't been to Sunday School for years, this will be a good time for you to come and see what is being done in the Sunday School. In most schools you will find many changes, many improvements. You will be sure of a cordial welcome.

Kentucky Sunday School Association, 712 Louisville Trust Building, Louisville, Ky.

You owe it to yourself and your state to attend Sunday School on May 7, 1916. If you find there any good for yourself, or any opportunity to do good for another, become a permanent member.



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SALVERSVILLE.
Supt. S. S. Elam, who was thrown from a horse last week is rapidly improving and will soon be out again.
Miss Elizabeth May, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Dorsey Keeton, at West Liberty, has returned home.
Joe Dyer has moved into the property of D. D. Sublett in Cheyenne, where he will live for some time.
Bro. Allen and wife, pastor of the Christian church, will move into the upper story of Dr. Kash's drug store in a few days.
E. D. May left Monday for Boyd, where he will spend a few days.
Mrs. Chester Bach, of Jackson, has returned home after a few weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Arnett.
Homer Whitt is very sick with measles at the home of his brother-in-law, Lewis Marshall.
Magoffin Institute closes next week. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached next Sunday.

RELIABLE REMEDY RESTORES KIDNEYS.

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. Dr. Kilmer used it for years in his private practice. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.

Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it will help you. No other remedy can successfully take its place.

Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention the Louisa weekly Big Sandy News.

FALLSBURG.
Bro. Booth filled his regular appointment at this place Sunday.

Sunday school every Sunday at 9:30 with good attendance.

Irene Carter spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Vernon Collinsworth.

Mrs. Easter Heaberrlin has moved to Huntington.

Mrs. Lillie Jordan was calling on Mrs. Frasier Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mary Layne visited her sister at this place last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Collinsworth and son Charley visited relatives at Ash-

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IN THE

Sunday Schools of Kentucky

MAY 7, 1916

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KENTUCKY SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

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Everything that is right and bright is now ready for the glance of you discriminating men and young men.

While we have clothes in abundance, the quantity of any one style or pattern is limited, assuring a certain degree of exclusiveness to those who purchase.

You may pay \$15, \$18, \$20, \$22.50 and upward, and at each price you will receive that excellent value, correct style, perfection of fabric and individuality in every detail that are the hallmarks of Northcott-Tate-Hagy Co., clothing. From Shoes to hat, we've all those things that are correct.

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PIKE COUNTY NEWS

GERMAN CLUB GOES ON HIKE.

The German Club of the Pikeville college, went on a hike last Friday to Indian Cave.

The ones going were Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Call, as chaperons, Mr. Westland and Miss Bowles of the Faculty, and Misses Mary Morgan, Lucy Daves, Ruth Crawford, Messrs. Jeanne Auxier, John Yost, and Seaton Biggs. They served lunch around the camp fire and told ghost stories, returning home at ten o'clock.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT CONSTITUTIONAL.

The Workman's Compensation Act, which was passed by the last session of the Legislature has been held constitutional by Judge Stout in the Franklin Circuit Court and has been appealed to the Court of Appeals. This act is of much interest to the coal operators and laboring people in this section of the state.

KILLING AT PENNY.

Tom Burnette shot and instantly killed Joe Harris at the plant of the Elkhorn and Shelby Creek Coal Mining Co., at Penny on Shelby creek, this county, last Saturday. No cause for the killing has yet been learned, but from the best information obtainable it would seem that Harris, while drunk, was sitting on the porch of the company's store with a pistol in each hand. Burnette going to the store, saw Harris and left, immediately returned with a shot gun and fired, the lead striking Harris in the neck. It is also reported that Harris shot and wounded his wife the day before, though not fatally. Burnette was arrested and lodged in jail. Both parties are colored.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Judge J. W. Ford, of Millard, Ky., was in Pikeville Monday on business.

Mrs. Stewart Ball and children of Hager Hill, Ky., are in Pikeville this week visiting her father, Mr. P. F. Preston.

Mrs. Frank Ellis, of Proctorville, O., who has been here visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Simpson for a few days returned home Sunday.

Mr. C. C. Bowles, General Manager of the Pikeville Grocery company went to Ashland Friday afternoon to attend a banquet given to the Wholesale Grocers and their salesmen. Mr. Bowles went on to Cincinnati to spend a few days.

Miss Ola Crutchfield, who has been with her sister, Mrs. N. Starkey, of Pikeville for some time has gone to Waynesville, N. C., to spend the summer with her father.

Miss Edna Whittaker of Pikeville spent Sunday with friends in Paintsville.

Finley E. Fogg of Paintsville is a business visitor here this week. George C. Copland of Paintsville is a business visitor in Pikeville.

J. J. Johnson of Jenkins is here this week. Miss Anna Mary Kelley of Ashland is visiting in Pikeville this week.

C. C. Dunn of Weeksbury, passed through Pikeville Monday enroute home.

C. B. Sterling of Carmen, is in Pikeville this week on business.

Adam Venters of Regina, was in the city Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Forsyth of Pikeville, who have been visiting Mrs. Harvey at Robinson creek, returned home Tuesday.

W. H. McCulloch, general manager of the Kentucky Wholesale Company of Pikeville, went to Ashland Friday to attend the banquet given to the Wholesale Grocers and their salesmen. He returned home Sunday night.

Mr. Drewrey, traveling salesman for the Hampton Grocery Co., of Catletts-

burg, Ky., was in Pikeville Monday calling on the trade.

F. T. Hatcher was a business visitor at Heller Monday.

George B. Clay of the Clay-Gunnell Shoe company, of Catlettsburg, is in Pikeville this week.

Hon. J. W. M. Stewart, attorney of Ashland is a business visitor here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Parsons and son Charles of Ashland have been visiting Miss Rebecca Ceill of Pikeville for a few days.

Elliott Huffman, who has been visiting in Virginia for a few days has returned home.

Mrs. J. D. Francis and children who have been visiting her parents at Charlottsville, Va., for the past three weeks has returned home.

Mrs. James Pinson has gone to Johns creek to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. May. Mrs. Pinson is enroute to Red Jacket Coal Mines where Mr. Pinson has a position.

Mrs. Alice Morell of Prestonsburg is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Maynard. They have both been visiting their sister, Mrs. Will Loar of Elkhorn City.

Mrs. Ballard Morris has returned home after visiting friends at Coal Run for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McAnest of Huntington are moving to Pikeville. They will occupy the Clevenger property in West Pikeville.

The Christian church of Pikeville is holding a week of decision services. Sunday to be decision day.

P. K. Dameron, a merchant of Dameron, was in town Tuesday on business.

The advertising car of Sun Brothers' show is here this week putting up bills for a big show May 1.

The K. E. A. meets Wednesday, April 19, at Louisville. A large number of the teachers of Pike-co. are reported to be going to attend this meeting.

FALLSBURG.

Hurrah for our Sunday school. We feel that we are having as good a school as any in Lawrence county with James Austin, Supt.

Necrosis is prevalent in our community.

Rev. S. S. Booth delivered a fine sermon here Sunday morning.

Miss Josephine Heaberlin, of Catlettsburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Austin.

Birt Cooksey was calling at Jas. Austin's Saturday evening.

Link Cooksey, who has been employed at Pond creek, is expected home soon.

Chas. Carter and children attended church here Sunday.

Uncle Jonah Adkins is sowing oats for A. Collinsworth this week.

John Compton of Dennis, was here Sunday.

Aunt Add Rice, who is visiting her daughter at Portsmouth, O., is expected home soon.

Our farmers have begun to get busy with their plows and corn planters and we think a large acreage of corn will be raised.

Miriam Dyer was calling on Mrs. E. P. Webb Sunday.

Martha Carter of Morgan creek spent Saturday and Sunday with Lou Cuzza Carter.

Bill Dyer says he don't think the Jack Frost hit our fruit trees hard enough to kill. Hope not anyway.

Gussie Frazier contemplates a visit to Newcomb soon.

We think the wedding bells will ring again soon in Fallsburg.

Frank Cooksey is farming for his brother Lindsey this season.

Fred Clay passed through Fallsburg Sunday afternoon enroute to the widow Austin's.

We are sorry to learn that Mollie Clay is no better at this writing.

Jeff Collinsworth passed through Fallsburg with 180 head of fine hogs last week.

We are glad to see uncle John Ekers out to church Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Heaberlin of Huntington, W. Va., visited friends in Fallsburg last week.

Gussie Frazier and Lizzie Tomlin visited Mrs. John Cochran Sunday.

Aunt Vern Caines is able to be out again after being confined to her home with lagrippe.

Joe Thomas, after visiting relatives here, has returned to his home in Virginia.

The friends of Leo Crank were surprised to learn that he had re-enlisted in the U. S. army. We hope Leo won't get a trip to Mexico.

The No. 5 oil well on Wm. Savage's farm has proven a success.

K. R. Bolt was transacting business in Louisa Saturday.

MUTT AND JEFF.

Old papers for sale at this office.

FLOYD COUNTY'S RECORD FOR WEEK.

News From Prestonsburg and the Surrounding Country.

Seventeen New School Buildings in Floyd.

Miss Oma Preston, superintendent, let out contracts for seventeen new school buildings last week in Floyd county. These are to be built on modern and scientific plans.

This will mean less illiteracy for Floyd county and will show that Miss Preston is doing something for her county. The amount to be expended is approximately \$10,000.00.

The schools are as follows:

Division No. 1, District No. 8, on John's creek.

Division No. 1, District No. 10, on John's creek.

Division No. 1, Sub-Dist. No. 18, on Bull creek.

Division No. 1, Sub-District No. 22, Mouth of Cow creek.

Division No. 2, Sub-District No. 5, Lick Fork of Middle creek.

Division No. 2, District No. 10, Katy Friend Branch.

Division No. 2, Sub-District No. 14, Lost Fork of Middle creek.

Division No. 2, District No. 21, Little Paint creek.

Division No. 3, District No. 3, Bucks Branch.

Division No. 3, Sub-District No. 18, Tollers creek.

Division No. 3, Sub-District No. 21, Head of Mud.

Division No. 3, District No. 23, Big Mud.

Division No. 3, Sub-District No. 33, Martin Station on Beaver.

Division No. 4, Sub-District No. 7, Mouth of Brushy.

Division No. 4, Sub-District No. 9, Raceon Fork of Salt Lick.

Division No. 4, District No. 14, Left Fork of Beaver.

Division No. 4, District No. 20, Mouth of Clear creek.

Another Beaver Game.

Ervin Gibson, a son of D. B. Gibson, a well-to-do farmer of Beaver creek, was shot last Thursday evening by Jno. Mellon. The report is that young Gibson and some friends were returning from a wedding at Weeksbury and were shooting as they passed Mellon's home. Mellon fired back and the bullet went thru Gibson's hip. Mellon was brought here Friday and filled bond.

Programme Rendered By P. B. I. Institute.

A delightful programme was rendered in the college auditorium Tuesday evening by the students of the P. B. I. The play given by the eighth grade pupils was especially good.

Go To Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Luns Weddington, who have had charge of the Valley Inn for several years, have sold their property to Jno. Sellards and will go to Antler, Mo., where they have purchased a valuable farm.

Beaver Pond Coal Company Bankrupt.

The creditors of the Beaver Pond Coal Co., which was judged bankrupt, met at Ashland Tuesday and elected Jno. Hopkins trustee. The following citizens from here were present: J. D. Harkins, J. C. Hopkins, G. P. Archer, W. S. Harkins, H. H. Fitzpatrick and W. S. Wells.

Addition to Office.

The Elkhorn mining corporation who recently rented the old law office of Harkins, are making extensive improvements on same by the addition of a large room and fire proof concrete vault.

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Arnold returned Monday from several weeks visit to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilkinson in Louisville.

Misses Oma Preston, Anna Harris and Biddle Adams left Tuesday morning for Louisville where they will attend the Kentucky Educational Association.

Mrs. F. A. Hopkins left Wednesday for several days visit with her daughter, Mrs. T. E. Dimick in Huntington.

Mrs. H. H. Fitzpatrick and little Miss Nell Allen are spending several days with Mrs. C. Y. Ligon at Seeto-

ville, O.

Miss Ruth Saulsbury, who is attending a business school in Ashland, is spending her Easter vacation with home folks here.

J. W. Stapleton was in town on business Monday.

A. J. May was a business visitor on Beaver first of the week.

Mrs. W. H. May and little daughter are guests of Mrs. May's mother, Mrs. Butler this week.

C. L. Hutsiniller returned Tuesday from a brief business visit to Portsmouth.

Mr. Jno. May of Alphoretta is the guest of his son, A. J. May.

German Vance, a former resident of Prestonsburg was appointed express agent at Denwood on Beaver creek.

Mrs. Zula Spradlin and children returned from Bowling Green Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Spradlin's mother, Mrs. Davenport.

Dr. W. R. Callahan left Monday for New York where his family are visiting relatives.

Mrs. G. L. Howard of Maysville arrived here Wednesday evening to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Harkins for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Moles spent Sunday at East Point, the guest of relatives.

Mrs. C. W. Evans is shopping in Huntington.

F. C. Hall, the efficient Western Union operator here, was a business visitor in Huntington Thursday.

Mr. C. F. Black, civil engineer of Wayland is here this week. Mr. Black will probably locate here.

Mrs. Malone Hall and little granddaughter, Oriole Stephens, of Allen, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Music, who have been living in Oklahoma for the past ten years have returned to Prestonsburg to make their future home. Mrs. Music is a daughter of Samuel Bingham of this place.

Wm. Langley spent the week-end with home folks here and left Monday for Springfield, O.

Dr. W. J. McClintock of Marlinton, Va., was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Jack Davis was at Wayland Wednesday.

Mr. Will Goble has purchased the residence of James Goble in the Harkins addition.

Jno. Pemberton, a representative for the Strietman Biscuit Co., was here Monday and Tuesday calling on the merchants.

Miss Ella Noel White is shopping in Huntington this week.

TRACE BRANCH.

Frelan Blackburn of Blaine was visiting Miss Onolda Shannon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Shannon paid home folks a visit Sunday.

Bennett Cartmel of Ashland and his brother, Bill, were visiting their sister, Mrs. Mollie Shannon Sunday.

Several from this place attended church at Lick creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Adam paid home folks a visit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shannon made a business trip to Louisa on Wednesday last.

John Wilson and Mart Isaac of Lick creek were calling, at Dave Adam's Sunday.

Miss Onolda Shannon returned to Louisa on Monday last where she will attend school.

Miss Erma Shannon paid Torchlight friends a visit Wednesday last.

William Little from Ironton returned home Wednesday last.

TWO BLUE EYES.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely.

There is singing each Sunday evening at Ulysses church.

Rev. J. W. Lykins and wife of Huntington are at this place holding a revival.

The meeting at Chestnut Grove Sunday was largely attended.

Mrs. Charley Jones, who has returned from the Riverview hospital, is improving.

Charley George of Henrietta was visiting Miss Pina Chandler Sunday.

Henry Whitaker and Lawrence See of Whitehouse were at this place Sunday evening.

The sad news came Monday morning that uncle Nathan Borders fell from paralytic stroke. It is not thought that he will recover. We regret the loss of such a good man.

Mrs. Alex George, who has been ill for some time, is reported to be worse.

Mr. and Mrs. Wrenie Chandler attended church at Chestnut Grove Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Morrison was the guest of Miss Millard Chandler Sunday.

Charles Williams was visiting relatives at Chestnut Grove Sunday.

Misses Angie and Sophie Skaggs were visiting Miss Carrie Hampton Sunday evening.

Rev. Charley Borders attended the meeting here Sunday.

Mrs. Luther Laney has just returned from Blaine.

Mrs. Ed Jones is very ill with la grippe.

Billie, the little son of Mrs. Earl Jacobs, has been quite ill, but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Lon Castle and Mrs. James Morrison attended church at Chestnut Grove Sunday.

Jimmie Morrison was visiting the boys at Lowmansville recently.

Miss Eliza Davis was the guest of Miss Carnaler Castle Sunday.

The bridge at Chestnut Grove fell Sunday evening but did not injure any one.

W. M. George has returned from Louisa, where he has been on business.

Mrs. W. M. George was visiting her sister, Mrs. Luther Laney Friday.

Howard and Richard Litteral were the guests of Billie Jacobs and Okie Davis recently.

ZEBRA.

UPPER DONITHON.

Several attended church here Sunday and Sunday night.

Gwinn Chapman of Naugatuck was visiting on our creek Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Chapman spent Sunday recently with Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Stansbury.

Mrs. Ben Maynard went to Fort Gay Monday to have her little daughters arm dressed which was broken some time ago.

Tom Curry was on our creek today last week on business.

Alice Maynard spent Sunday afternoon with Misses Jessie and Beale Moore.

Don C. Belcher was on our creek last week.

Mrs. Ben Maynard visited Mrs. F. T. Chapman Saturday evening.

J. N. Compton was on our creek recently.

Auxier See attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Josie Frazier was calling on her mother Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Vinson and Stella Shannon were visiting Mrs. Moore Sunday.

Miss Alice Maynard was calling at Mrs. Mary E. Chapman's Tuesday.

Landon Curry passed through our creek enroute to Griffith creek Monday.

U. G. Sammons of Three Mile attended church here Sunday.

McKinley Maynard was here Sunday.

Jarrett Maynard has purchased a fine cow and two calves of Ben Maynard.

Rev. W. M. Moore was in our town one day last week.

We are expecting a revival at this place soon by Rev. Lewis Peters.

Raymond Chapman was calling on Jessie Maynard Monday.

Mrs. Evelyn Johnson was visiting Josie Frazier Sunday.

Quite a large crowd attended Sunday school here Sunday morning.

Z. F. Frazier is expected to leave soon for New Richmond, O., where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frazier were visiting home folks last week.

Miss Mary Moore spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Alice Maynard.

Taylor Frazier, Jr., was calling at Mrs. Moore's Sunday.

F. T. Chapman purchased a fine horse recently.

Sunday school every Sunday at tent-thirty. Everybody come.

TWO CHUMS.

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Chapman-Frazier.

Our quiet little town has been awakened several times by the joyous ringing of many bells. At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Frazier on April 2, Miss Ethel was united in the holy bonds of wedlock to Mr. Keither Chapman. The bride is 16 and the groom 21. Rev. Strother Fitzpatrick officiated. Both are highly respected young people. Only a few relatives and friends witnessed the wedding. They left for Naugatuck Sunday where the groom is employed and where they will make their future home. May they spend many happy years.

A FRIEND.

Officer, Call a Cop!

I do not like the slangy man Who blurts out English all he can; For, even now I hear him speaking: "Hey, wipe your nose, your roof is leaking!"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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WEEK IS COMING TO LOUISA & FT. GAY

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